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OF THE

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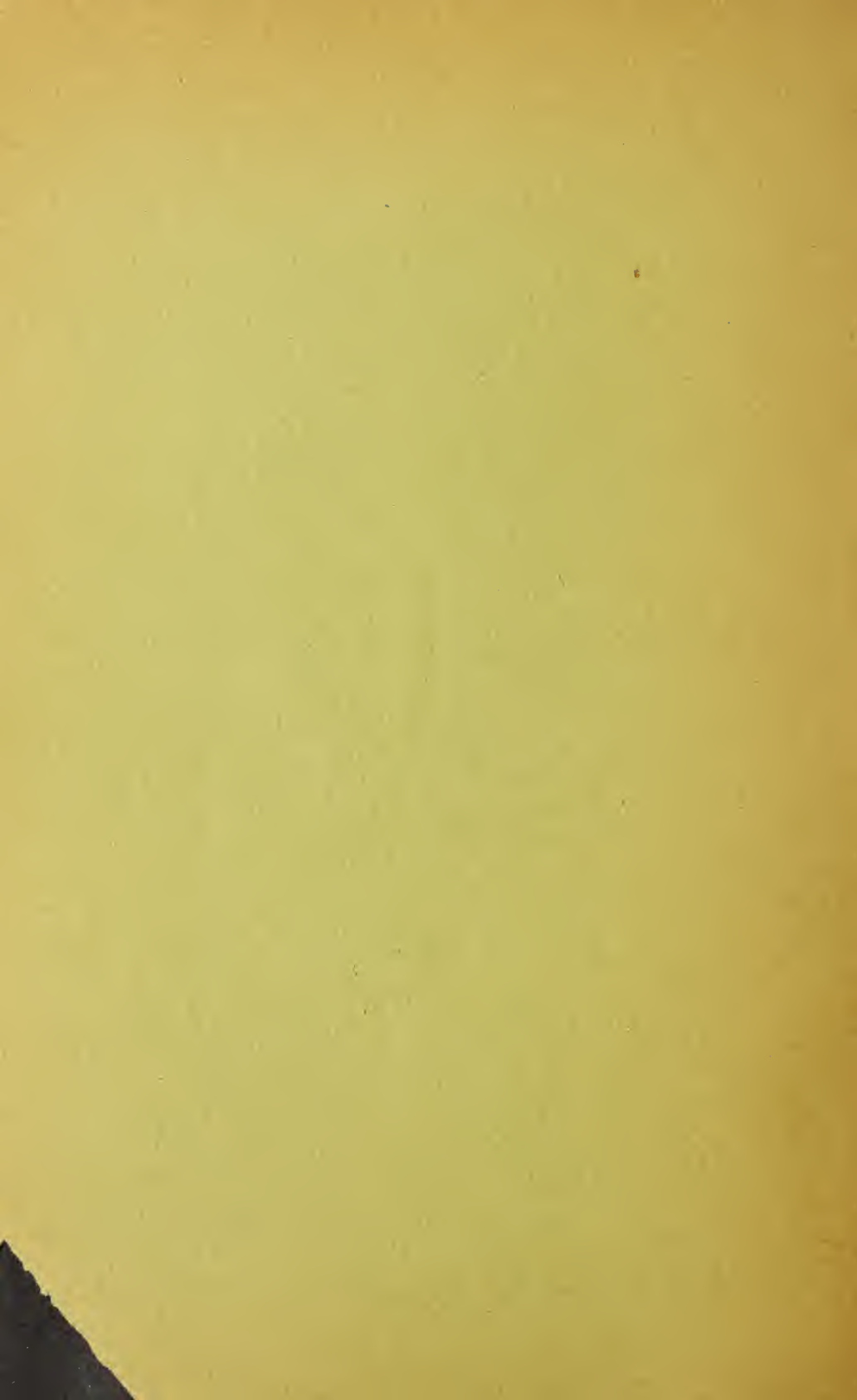


OF THE

TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN

FOR THE

Year Ending Feb. 11, 1907.





TOWN HALL

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS
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TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN

COMPRISING THOSE OF THE
TREASURER AND COLLECTOR,
SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR,
TOWN CLERK,
SEWER COMMISSIONERS,
BOARD OF HEALTH,
SCHOOL COMMITTEE,

AND THE REPORT OF

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FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 11, 1907.

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LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS

For the Year 1906-7.

Town Clerk :

CHARLES F. SWIFT.

Town Treasurer :

CHARLES F. SWIFT.

Collector :

WILLIAM H. HOEG, JR.

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor :

JOHN H. HOWLAND,
WALTER P. WINSOR,
JOSEPH PETTEE, JR.

Board of Health :

CHARLES P. MAXFIELD,
JOSEPH B. PECK,
WILLIAM H. THAYER, M. D.

Assessors :

WILLIAM H. HOEG, JR.
JOSEPH B. PECK,
NATHANIEL J. CROSSMAN.

School Committee :

THOMAS A. TRIPP,	Term expires in 1909.
LEWIS E. BENTLEY,	Term expires in 1909.
GEORGE W. STEVENS,	Term expires in 1908.
DANIEL W. KENDRICK,	Term expires in 1908.
GEORGE H. TRIPP,	Term expires in 1907.
JOSEPH K. NYE,	Term expires in 1907.

Sewer Commissioners :

GEORGE T. THATCHER,	Term expires in 1909.
ZENAS W. DODGE,	Term expires in 1908.
ELBRIDGE G. PAULL,	Term expires in 1907.

Superintendent of Streets :

HENRY H. ROGERS.

Inspector of Animals and Provisions .

DANIEL C. ASHLEY.

Constables :

ANDREW J. SHOOKS,
HERBERT W. BARNEY.

Auditors :

WILLIAM B. GARDNER,
NATHANIEL POPE.

Fence Viewers .

HENRY T. HOWARD,
MARCELLUS P. WHITFIELD.

Tree Warden :

JOHN I. BRYANT.

REPORT
OF THE
Treasurer and Collector

WILLIAM H. HOEG, JR., COLLECTOR,

Dr.

Tax list, 1906,		\$51,279.72
Bank tax, 1906 (non-resident)		1,053.85
Street railway tax, 1906,		1,718.81
Additional assessments, 1906,		12.53
Interest collected, 1906,	\$18.43	
Interest collected, 1905,	81.16	
Interest collected, 1904,	40.44	
	<hr/>	140.03
Unpaid taxes, 1905, Feb. 7,		2,203.80
Unpaid taxes, 1904, Feb. 7,		401.92
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		<u>\$56,810.66</u>

IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN.

Cr.

Paid Town Treasurer,	\$53,976.88
Remittances and abatements, 1906,	421.56
Remittances and abatements, 1905,	121.88
Remittances and abatements, 1904,	9.34
Unpaid taxes, 1906, Feb. 11, 1906,	2,091.63
Unpaid taxes, 1905,	189.37

\$56,810.66

WILLIAM H. HOEG, JR., SEWER TAX COLLECTOR,

<i>Dr.</i>	SHONE SEWER
Unpaid Feb. 7, 1906,	\$516.36
Interest collected,	65.08
Special assessment,	51.66
	<u>\$633.10</u>

<i>Dr.</i>	SOUTHWEST SEWER
Unpaid Feb. 7, 1906,	\$388.61
Interest collected,	12.11
	<u>\$400.72</u>

<i>Dr.</i>	ADAMS STREET SEWER
Unpaid Feb. 7, 1906,	\$29.40
	<u>\$29.40</u>

<i>Dr.</i>	LAUREL AND WASHINGTON STREETS
Unpaid Feb. 7, 1906,	\$141.20
Interest collected,	6.17
	<u>\$147.37</u>

<i>Dr.</i>	CHRISTIAN STREET SEWER
Unpaid Feb. 7, 1906,	\$100.22
Interest collected,	2.82
	<u>\$103.04</u>

<i>Dr.</i>	SOUTHWEST SEWER EXTENSION
Unpaid Feb. 7, 1906,	\$53.48
Interest collected,	2.67
	<u>\$56.15</u>

IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN.

ASSESSMENTS.	<i>Cr.</i>
Paid Town Treasurer,	\$501.38
Abatements,	38.23
Unpaid Feb. 11, 1907,	93.48
	<u>\$633.10</u>

ASSESSMENTS.	<i>Cr.</i>
Paid Town Treasurer,	\$258.22
Abatements,	25.00
Unpaid Feb. 11, 1907,	117.50
	<u>\$400.72</u>

ASSESSMENTS.	<i>Cr.</i>
Paid Town Treasurer,	\$11.00
Unpaid Feb. 11, 1907,	18.40
	<u>\$29.40</u>

SEWER ASSESSMENTS.	<i>Cr.</i>
Paid Town Treasurer,	\$28.23
Unpaid Feb. 11, 1907,	119.14
	<u>\$147.37</u>

ASSESSMENTS.	<i>Cr.</i>
Paid Town Treasurer,	\$19.32
Unpaid Feb. 11, 1907,	83.72
	<u>\$103.04</u>

ASSESSMENTS.	<i>Cr.</i>
Paid Town Treasurer,	\$10.31
Unpaid Feb. 11, 1907,	45.84
	<u>\$56.15</u>

WILLIAM H. HOEG, JR., SEWER TAX COLLECTOR,

<i>Dr.</i>	SHONE EXTENSION SUMMER STREET	
Unpaid Feb. 7, 1906,		\$426.62
Interest collected,		20.26
		<u>\$446.88</u>

<i>Dr.</i>	PEASE DISTRICT SEWER	
Unpaid Feb. 7, 1906,		\$4,826.71
Interest collected,		263.30
		<u>\$5,090.01</u>

<i>Dr.</i>	OXFORD SEWER	
Unpaid Feb. 7, 1906,		\$2,521.50
Interest collected,		93.52
		<u>\$2,615.02</u>

<i>Dr.</i>	PEASE DISTRICT EXTENSION	
Unpaid Feb. 7, 1906,		\$887.19
Interest collected,		4.23
		<u>\$891.42</u>

IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN.

ASSESSMENTS.	<i>Cr.</i>
Paid Town Treasurer,	\$145.71
Unpaid Feb. 11, 1907,	301.17
	<u>\$446.88</u>

ASSESSMENTS.	<i>Cr.</i>
Paid Town Treasurer,	\$1,406.81
Abatements,	47.48
Unpaid Feb. 11, 1907,	3,635.72
	<u>\$5,090.01</u>

ASSESSMENTS.	<i>Cr.</i>
Paid Town Treasurer,	\$747.21
Unpaid Feb. 11, 1907,	1,867.81
	<u>\$2,615.02</u>

GREEN STREET ASSESSMENTS.	<i>Cr.</i>
Paid Town Treasurer,	\$405.06
Abatements,	27.40
Unpaid Feb. 11, 1907,	458.96
	<u>\$891.42</u>

CHARLES F. SWIFT, TREASURER

Dr.

RECEIPTS.

Feb. 8, 1906. Balance cash on hand, \$7,411.19

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

State Treasurer, Street Railway tax, \$3,717.37

S. S. Peckham, screenings, 11.72

\$3,729.09

OXFORD SEWER.

James Shanks, for sewer connection, 21.96

GENERAL INCIDENTALS.

State Treasurer, Corporation taxes, \$2,613.55

Bank taxes, 2,460.81

State Aid, 2,484.50

Soldiers' Burials, 70.00

Cash for F. W. Andrews, land damages, 31.70

Sundry persons, Scallop licenses, 73.00

sundry " 10.00

\$7,743.56

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

State Treasurer, Supt. of Schools'

salary, \$450.00

State Treasurer, Teachers' salaries, 300.00

County Treasurer, Dog fund, 573.70

Town of Acushnet, Tuition at High

School, 300.00

Sundry persons, Tuition at High

School, 120.00

C. F. Delano, lathes and tools, 188.00

\$1,931.70

ABNER PEASE SCHOOL FUND.

Board of Selectmen, Trustees of School Fund, 305.34

POOR DEPARTMENT.

From various cities and towns, \$345.25

State Treasurer, State poor, 98.25

Produce sold, \$21.50; Rent, \$100.00;

Board, \$69.00; Court fines, \$57.39, 247.89

691.39

Amount carried forward,

\$21,834.23

IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN.

PAYMENTS.		<i>Cr.</i>
General Highways,		\$8,620.18
South Pleasant street extension,		112.30
Bridge street sewer,		839.35
Cottage street sewer,		446.56
General incidental,		8,277.38
State Treasurer, State tax,		3,360.00
Bank tax,		1,043.18
State highways repairs,		59.57
Fire alarm whistle,		499.79
Coggeshall street bridge,		35.84
New Bedford and Fairhaven bridge,		92.28
Brown tail moth account,		111.85
Board of Health,		179.35
Military aid,		101.00
Soldiers' relief,		290.40
State aid,		2,752.00
School department,		19,500.25
Poor department,		2,999.28
Town hall,		1,838.99
Street lights,		1,919.76
Sewer maintenance,		2,994.30
Salaries,		2,546.87
Police department,		862.48
Hydrants,		2,175.00
Fire department,		1,928.95
Interest,		3,644.76
Loans in anticipation of taxes,		20,000.00

TOWN DEBT.

Oxford school note,	\$5,000.00	
Pease district sewer note,	1,000.00	6,000.00
Sewer bond,		3,000.00
Amount carried forward,		<u>\$96,231.67</u>

CHARLES F. SWIFT, TREASURER

Dr.

Amount brought forward,	\$21,834.23
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TOWN HALL.

Post Office, \$400.00; J. C. Tripp,	
\$50.00; Entertainments, \$535.00,	\$985.00

SEWER MAINTENANCE.

Sundry persons, Sewer permits,	66.00
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John McCullough, junk sold,	10.92
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LOANS.

Loans in anticipation of taxes,	\$20,000.00
New Bedford and Fairhaven Bridge	
loans,	8,000.00
Bridge street, sewer loans,	850.00
Cottage street, sewer loans,	350.00
Sewer Maintenance, sewer loans,	500.00
	<hr/> \$29,700.00

SEWER ASSESSMENTS.

Shone	sewer assessments,	\$501.38
Southwest	"	258.22
Adams street	"	11.00
Fort street	"	10.31
Laurel street	"	23.34
Washington street	"	4.89
Summer street	"	145.71
Christian street	"	19.32
Pease district	"	1,406.81
Oxford	"	747.21
Pease district sewer extension assessments,		405.06
		<hr/> \$ 3,533.25
Tax collector,		53,976.88
		<hr/> <hr/> \$110,106.28

IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN.

	<i>Cr.</i>
Amount brought forward,	\$96,231.67
New Bedford and Fairhaven bridge,	8,218.43
Abner Pease school fund,	209.52
Balance cash on hand,	5,446.66

\$110,106.28

TOWN TREASURER'S BALANCE

ASSETS, OR DEBIT BALANCES.

Special Appropriations :	
Sewer bonds,	\$53,000.00
Oxford school house,	5,000.00
Pease district sewer,	7,000.00
Oxford sewer,	10,000.00
Bridge street sewer,	850.00
Cottage street sewer,	350.00
Adams street sewer extension,	1,000.00
Sewer maintenance,	500.00
New Bedford and Fairhaven bridge,	8,000.00
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	\$85,700.00
School department, overdraft,	537.92
Cottage street sewer, overdraft,	96.56
Street lights, overdraft,	56.82
Salaries, overdraft,	32.88
Cash balance on hand,	5,446.66
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	<u>\$91,870.84</u>

SHEET, FEB. 11, 1907.

LIABILITIES, OR CREDIT BALANCES.

General highways,	\$1.22
Cottage street extension,	14.16
South Pleasant street extension,	61.89
Laurel street extension,	115.70
Mill road,	200.00
Oxford sewer,	9.27
Bridge street sewer,	10.65
General incidentals,	1,677.88
Poor department,	766.72
Town Hall,	934.81
Sewer maintenance,	65.41
Police department,	132.35
Hydrants,	18.75
Fire department,	98.71
Interest account,	1,908.18
Sewer bonds,	53,000.00
Notes payable,	31,700.00
Adams street sewer extension,	1,000.00
Abner Pease school fund,	155.14
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	\$91,870.84
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CHARLES F. SWIFT,
Treasurer.

FAIRHAVEN, MASS., FEB. 15, 1907.

MR. JOHN H. HOWLAND,
Chairman Board of Selectmen,
Town of Fairhaven, Mass.

DEAR SIR:— Having examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer, and also of the Tax Collector, for the year ending Feb. 12, 1907, I hereby certify that they are correct.

JAMES L. HATHAWAY,
Public Accountant.

REPORTS
OF THE
SELECTMEN
AND
OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL HIGHWAYS.

<i>Dr.</i>			<i>Cr.</i>		
Expenditures as per schedule A annexed,	\$8,620	18	Balance from last year,	\$172	56
Balance unex- pended,		1 22	Appropriation,	3,000	00
			Transfer from tree account,		94
			State Treasurer		
			St. Railway tax,	3,717	37
			Tax Collector St.		
			Railway tax,	1,718	81
			S. S. Peckham, screenings,	11	72
	\$8,621	40		\$8,621	40

MILL ROAD.

<i>Dr.</i>			<i>Cr.</i>		
			Appropriation,	\$200	00

SOUTH PLEASANT STREET EXTENSION.

<i>Dr.</i>			<i>Cr.</i>		
Expenditures as per schedule B annexed,	\$112	30	Balance from last year,	\$174	19
Balance unex- pended,		61 89			
	\$174	19		\$174	19

Highway Department.

COTTAGE STREET.

*Dr.**Cr.*

			Balance from last year,	\$14 16
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LAUREL STREET EXTENSION.

*Dr.**Cr.*

			Balance from last year,	\$115 70
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SCHEDULE A GENERAL HIGHWAYS.

John I. Bryant, salary,	\$210.00
C. F. Brownell & Co., livery,	145.25
Farrel Foundry Co., supplies,	100.25
J. C. Tripp, coal,	94.78
Denison Bros. Co., coal,	59.48
Merrimac Chemical Co., supplies,	64.00
H. H. Harvey, "	34.64
C. F. Delano, "	61.75
H. H. Hathaway, "	6.47
Babbitt, Wood & Co., "	5.35
Almy & Hitch, "	3.50
Edson Manf'g Co., "	47.25
C. D. Waldron, printing,	63.75
Earle C. Bacon, screen,	75.00
L. J. Hathaway, repairs,	52.95
G. R. Valentine, "	20.43
F. M. Bates, "	6.80

Highway Department.

J. H. Howland, gravel,	32.40
H. Tremblay, "	18.30
Moses Denault, block paving,	28.50
G. W. King, sharpening tools,	33.65
E. R. Cole, sharpening tools,	3.97
F. W. Andrews, rent,	36.00
C. E. Allen, care of lanterns,	30.75
G. T. Lloyd, oil,	25.80
Time Man'g Co., oil,	8.75
H. B. Copeland, clerical services,	24.00
J. I. Bryant, telephone,	24.00
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., freight,	19.64
B. F. Nickerson, lumber,	20.96
Fairhaven Iron Foundry Co., grates and frames,	20.55
Joseph G. Tirrell, photos,	14.50
Briggs & Beckman, covers,	18.00
N. B. Water Works, pipe,	10.22
Ames Plow Co., shovels,	9.75
J. W. Westgate Est., fuel,	4.75
J. F. Howard, hammer handles,	3.25
H. S. Hutchinson & Co.,	2.32
Hatch & Co., express,	1.85
A. H. Wordell, points,	.50
C. St. Armand, stone,	200.28
F. Foster, "	175.81
D. LaLiberty, "	133.78
John Foster, "	132.04
M. J. Sullivan, "	111.95
John Duff, "	96.15
M. McCartey, "	94.80
M. Lewis, "	84.09
G. F. Howard, "	77.56
H. C. Pierce, "	71.06
W. C. Stoddard, "	68.03
J. Repose, "	67.37
Albert Austin, "	45.70
C. F. Benson, "	44.80
H. W. Watkins, "	38.51
E. C. Chase, "	32.25
F. Watson, "	30.90

Highway Department.

S. S. Peckham, stone,	28.50
F. Lanagan, "	27.00
W. C. Howland, "	26.82
Hugh Kane, "	26.72
M. Perry, "	25.83
W. T. Lavare, "	25.52
A. Cyr, "	24.08
H. Choqueth, "	24.06
J. P. Quirk, "	23.97
G. R. Reeves, "	23.95
U. Audette, "	21.98
F. X. Paulino, "	21.07
A. Freitas, "	20.75
Buzzard Bay Co., "	18.40
J. R. Dufresne, "	17.25
W. S. Howland, "	19.41
Wm. Tootle, "	16.20
N. Dunham, "	14.78
J. Eccles, "	13.40
J. Machado, "	13.37
C. Reed, "	12.35
P. Fontaine, "	10.30
P. LeConte, "	9.50
A. Lopes, "	6.02
Wm. Studley, "	5.88
John Burnett, "	5.37
J. Lawrence, "	5.15
C. Marshall, "	4.28
J. J. Jenney, "	3.73
Wm. Pittsley, "	2.48
Ellis Parker, "	2.40
T. R. Luce, engineer,	171.00
W. G. Cook, curbing and paving,	162.80
F. Gonsalves, " "	148.09
F. Gibbs, " "	137.50
M. Noyer, " "	92.97
T. D. Perry, " "	84.50
F. Matteo, " "	72.97
W. Madays, " "	65.53
M. S. Sylvia, " "	62.43

Highway Department.

F. Sylvia, curbing and paving,	16.54
J. Walsh, " "	7.50
E. B. Tripp, teaming,	309.50
J. J. Jenney, "	277.50
W. H. Bryant, "	262.34
E. G. Dwelley, "	265.00
U. Audette, "	157.67
J. M. Freitas, "	132.34
C. F. Benson, "	27.00
E. G. Grinnell, "	15.00
Robert Palmer, labor,	267.50
H. W. Barney, "	263.25
J. H. Bryant, "	201.00
W. H. Bryant, "	196.50
J. F. Sullivan, "	179.47
J. Perry, "	151.37
C. E. Allen, "	120.83
F. Fish, "	118.25
J. DeMello, "	110.47
T. Scales, "	93.46
M. Mendes, "	84.88
B. A. Clapp, "	71.00
I. Baker, "	66.59
E. J. Howard, "	64.17
P. King, "	60.83
A. Rose, "	59.49
C. B. Francis, "	57.87
J. Walsh, "	55.83
M. DeAndrade, "	53.63
J. K. Rose, "	45.33
Wm. Tootle, "	39.50
A. Lewis, "	39.42
J. F. Howard, "	25.50
F. Sylvia, "	22.42
B. Sousa, "	21.97
M. Joseph, "	20.22
M. Spena, "	20.22
M. Perry, "	17.50
J. Sylvia, "	13.00
D. Gerstlauer, "	11.11

Highway Department.

M. S. Sylvia, labor,	8.75
H. Kane, “	8.33
F. Matteo, “	7.50
Wm. Madays, “	1.75
T. D. Perry, “	7.39
J. G. Murray, “	1.50

Expenditures for Clearing Snow.

E. N. Hammond, labor,	\$10.00
T. D. Perry, “	5.25
A. Rose, “	3.83
C. E. Allen, “	3.83
M. DeAndrade, “	3.67
S. K. Rose, “	3.00
J. Telford, “	3.00
F. Matteo, “	3.00
J. Perry, “	2.54
T. Scales, “	2.54
W. H. Bryant, “	2.25
J. Sylvia, “	2.17
N. Aldrich, “	1.50
F. Fish, “	.79
E. B. Tripp, teaming,	15.00
W. H. Bryant, “	8.67
E. G. Dwelley, “	7.50
J. J. Jenney, “	7.50
G. E. Reeves, “	7.50
W. H. Schroeder, “	7.50
U. Audette, “	7.50
C. W. Hammond, “	6.00
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	\$5,170.52

SCHEDULE B SOUTH PLEASANT STREET EXTENSION

E. T. Maxfield, et. al., land damage,	<u>\$112.30</u>
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POOR DEPARTMENT.

*Dr.**Cr.*

Expenditures for Almshouse as per schedule C annexed,	\$1,505 23	Balance from last year,	\$774 61
Outside Poor as per schedule D annexed,	1,459 05	Appropriation, City of New Bedford,	2,300 00
Cities and other towns,	35 00	City of Taunton,	119 50
Balance unex- pended,	766 72	Town of Warren,	35 25
		Town of Dart- mouth,	22 00
		Town of Barns- table,	30 00
		Town of Matta- poisett,	30 00
		Town of Freetown,	84 50
		Town of Province- town,	9 00
		State Treasurer,	15 00
		Rent of pasture,	98 25
		Cash for board,	100 00
		Court fines,	69 00
		Cash for produce,	57 39
			21 50
	<u>\$3,766 00</u>		<u>\$3,766 00</u>

Poor Department.

SCHEDULE C ALMSHOUSE.

William H. Monk, master,	\$400.00
Wm. F. Church, provisions,	137.66
H. L. Wilson, “	52.35
D. A. Regan, “	44.54
A. Record, “	59.22
Alfred Nye, “	62.43
H. F. Wilde, “	54.16
Wm. M. Stetson, “	36.20
W. S. Padelford & Bro., provisions,	24.93
A. R. Washburn, provisions,	24.67
A. F. Macomber, provisions,	24.50
H. M. Brownell, wood,	29.00
S. P. & S. H. Willcox, supplies,	40.16
E. S. Whiting, meats,	56.55
City Coal Co., coal,	90.42
A. W. Monk, painting,	82.69
C. F. Delano, supplies,	30.24
Phaneuf & Son, fertilizer,	41.75
G. R. Valentine, repairs,	20.77
E. P. Hirst, “	11.96
M. P. Whitfield, “	5.56
M. C. Swift & Son, clothing,	10.00
J. & W. R. Wing, “	7.50
James Ede, “	5.25
So. Mass. Telephone Co., rent,	15.05
Fairhaven Water Co., water,	21.17
J. A. Orton & Co., burial,	15.00
C. F. Wing, supplies,	12.45
A. H. Wordell, “	12.04
L. M. Snow, “	2.00
Wm. B. Studley, plowing,	9.00
Specialty Shoe Co., shoes,	7.60
J. H. Stetson & Co., shoes,	7.50
Dodge & Grant, repairs,	8.78
Geo. W. King, shoeing,	10.39
E. Anthony & Sons, Standard,	6.00
G. E. Blake & Co., seeds,	8.41
A. A. Potter, fish,	5.84

Poor Department.

J. S. Delano, fish,	1.65
H. H. Hathaway, paint,	4.99
N. P. Hayes, lawn mower,	3.00
Peter Murray, plants,	1.05
H. T. Akin, filing saws,	.80
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	\$1,505.23

SCHEDULE D OUTSIDE POOR.

Alfred Nye, provisions,	\$292.50
Wm. M. Stetson, “	207.25
Wm. F. Church, “	126.25
H. L. Wilson, “	60.00
A. I. Record, “	5.25
W. H. Thayer, M. D., salary,	200.00
W. H. Thayer, M. D., medical services,	20.00
J. S. Williams, burials,	23.00
J. A. Orton & Co., burials,	31.00
J. Rogers, burials,	8.00
A. J. Shooks, court fees,	107.62
H. W. Barney, “	71.42
G. C. Paradise, “	3.16
J. B. Peck, “	3.42
H. L. Perry, fuel,	65.30
Denison Bro. Co., “	14.00
City Coal Co., “	7.20
Lydia C. Gifford, rent,	52.00
D. Mahoney, “	12.00
E. J. Sowle, “	10.00
J. H. Stetson & Co., shoes,	24.15
F. J. Dufrane, “	14.25
C. B. Perry, moving,	25.00
C. F. Nye, “	14.50
Perry, Jenney & Potter,	47.25
J. P. S. Churchill, copies,	2.00
G. B. Luther, mileage,	3.28
E. G. Spooner, headstones,	6.00
H. S. Hutchinson & Co., supplies,	2.25
L. M. Snow, supplies,	1.00
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	\$1,459.05

SEWER DEPARTMENT.

SEWER MAINTENANCE.

*Dr.**Cr.*

Expenditures as per schedule E annexed, Balance unex- pended,			Balance from last year, Appropriation, Sewer permits, Special appropri- ation,	
	\$2,994	30		\$193 71
		65		2,300 00
		41		66 00
				500 00
	\$3,059	71		\$3,059 71

"SHONE" EXTENSION ON BRIDGE STREET.

*Dr.**Cr.*

Expenditures as per schedule F annexed, Balance unex- pended,			Appropriation,	\$850 00
	\$839	35		
		10		
		65		
	\$850	00		\$850 00

S. W. SEWER EXTENSION IN COTTAGE STREET.

*Dr.**Cr.*

Expenditures as per schedule G annexed,			Appropriation, Overdrawn,	\$350 00
	\$446	56		96 56
	\$446	56		\$446 56

Sewer Department.

OXFORD SEWER.

<i>Dr.</i>			<i>Cr.</i>
Overdraft,	\$12 69	By sewer con-	
Balance,	9 27	nection,	\$21 96
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	\$21 96		\$21 96

SCHEDULE E SEWER MAINTENANCE.

F. W. Gibbs, engineer,	\$600.00
E. F. Dexter, "	540.00
Garfield & Proctor, coal,	490.85
C. F. Delano, hose,	235.55
S. Willcox, labor,	245.16
Wm. Delano, labor,	69.60
Dodge & Grant, repairs,	185.58
L. W. Morton, locating branch,	158.83
Z. W. Dodge, inspecting,	62.00
Fairhaven Water Co., water,	97.65
Fairhaven Iron Foundry Co., grates,	42.86
Wm. F. Nye, oil,	41.86
Standard Oil Co., oil,	6.60
Slocum & Kilburn, supplies,	35.39
C. F. Delano, "	27.36
A. Nye, "	4.70
F. W. Gibbs, "	3.15
M. P. Whitfield, repairs,	26.13
G. R. Valentine, "	5.85
E. R. Cole, "	5.02
N. B. Boiler & Machine Co., repairs,	4.35
F. M. Metcalf, plans and prints,	23.60
J. W. Loomis, use of lot,	20.00
J. L. Gillingham, legal,	10.00
G. N. Gardner, "	5.00
C. D. Waldron, printing,	8.86
C. A. Hacker, fitting lights,	15.75

Sewer Department.

H. A. Sullivan, inspection,	10.00
M. DeAmaral, carting,	4.10
H. H. Hathaway, labor and supplies,	3.25
C. F. Brownell & Co., livery,	2.50
G. W. King, blacksmithing,	2.25
L. M. Snow, rubber bulb,	.50
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	\$2,994.30
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SCHEDULE F BRIDGE STREET SEWER.

C. S. Paisler, cement and pipe,	\$162.80
Fairhaven Iron Foundry Co., covers and frames,	42.30
A. B. Drake, plans,	39.50
J. I. Bryant, supervising,	30.00
B. F. Nickerson, lumber,	21.88
G. W. King, sharpening tools,	13.41
T. C. Allen & Co., hemp,	4.78
C. F. Stetson, sand,	2.80
Wm. G. Cook, labor,	31.50
H. W. Barney, "	30.86
J. Perry, "	25.25
F. G. Gibbs, "	23.00
F. Gonsalves, "	23.00
C. B. Francis, "	21.33
U. Audette, "	21.03
M. D. Andrade, "	19.64
A. Rose, "	19.64
F. Fish, "	19.64
J. DeMello, "	19.64
M. Mendes, "	17.90
M. Noyer, "	17.90
M. Corea, "	15.97
M. Joseph, "	15.97
M. Spena, "	15.97
A. Almada, "	15.97
B. A. Clapp, "	15.76
B. Sousa, "	15.18
S. Roderick, "	14.79

Sewer Department.

F. Matteo,	labor,	14.44
A. Vera,	"	14.22
M. S. Sylvia,	"	13.81
F. Sylvia,	"	13.81
L. Briggs,	"	12.08
W. H. Bryant,	"	11.25
H. Kane,	"	10.50
J. H. Bryant,	"	7.50
P. King,	"	6.83
I. Baker,	"	1.50
E. B. Tripp,	teaming,	9.00
J. J. Jenney,	"	7.00
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		\$839.35

SCHEDULE G COTTAGE STREET SEWER.

C. S. Paisler,	cement and pipe,	\$102.09
A. B. Drake,	plans,	23.00
Z. W. Dodge,	extending sewer,	24.41
Fairhaven Iron Foundry Co.,	covers,	13.50
J. I. Bryant,	supervising,	10.00
T. C. Allen & Co.,	rope,	1.00
W. G. Cook,	labor,	26.00
H. W. Barney,	"	20.47
M. S. Sylvia,	"	14.79
J. Perry,	"	14.50
F. Sylvia,	"	14.00
F. Gonsalves,	"	13.50
F. Gibbs,	"	13.50
M. Mendes,	"	11.29
A. Rose,	"	11.29
J. DeMello,	"	11.29
B. F. Clapp,	"	11.29
C. B. Francis,	"	10.89
L. Briggs,	"	8.75
B. Sousa,	"	10.50
M. Spena,	"	10.50
A. Almada,	"	10.50

Sewer Department.

M. Corea,	labor,	10.50
M. Noyer,	"	10.50
M. Joseph,	"	10.50
S. Roderick,	"	7.00
J. H. Bryant,	"	4.50
P. King,	"	4.50
E. B. Tripp,	teaming,	9.00
U. Audette,	"	3.00
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		\$446.56
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

<i>Dr.</i>				<i>Cr.</i>
Overdraft,	\$33	26	Appropriation,	\$1,900 00
Expenditures as			Appropriation for	
per schedule H			fire alarm,	150 00
annexed,	1,928	95	Cash for junk,	10 92
Balance unex-				
pended,	98	71		
	<u>\$2,060</u>	<u>92</u>		<u>\$2,060 92</u>

HYDRANT SERVICE.

<i>Dr.</i>				<i>Cr.</i>
Fairhaven Water			Balance from last	
Co., service,	\$2,175	00	year,	\$18 75
Balance,	18	75	Appropriation,	2,175 00
	<u>\$2,193</u>	<u>75</u>		<u>\$2,193 75</u>

Fire Department.

SCHEDULE H MAINTENANCE.

Hose Co. No. 1, pay roll,	\$390.00
Hose Co. No. 2, “	390.00
Hook and Ladder Co., pay roll,	265.00
Engineers, “	100.00
C. A. Hacker, superintendent fire alarm,	150.00
C. A. Hacker, extra labor,	28.50
C. F. Brownell & Co., hauling,	145.00
J. J. Jenney, “	47.00
M. D. Ameral, “	30.00
J. C. Tripp, coal,	62.15
F. M. Bates, repairs,	73.47
G. R. Valentine, “	16.85
C. F. Delano, “	12.23
A. D. Wheeler, “	15.18
C. Smith, “	13.00
M. P. Whitfield, “	9.86
J. Nourjian, “	1.50
P. Knipe, “	1.00
M. F. Kerns, “	1.00
G. W. King, “	.45
Fairhaven Water Co., water,	40.00
Atlas Tack Co., supplies,	33.75
G. H. Carpenter, “	7.90
A. Nye, “	.92
L. M. Snow, “	.45
Edes Manfg. Co., zinc,	30.13
American Steel & Wire Co., wire,	11.78
N. B. Gas & Edison Light Co., lights,	19.79
F. S. Ryonson, janitor,	15.00
I. Gurney, shaft,	2.50
H. H. Hathaway, paint,	2.04
B. F. Nickerson, carting,	3.00

Fire Department.

Bliss & Upjohn, glazing,	1.50
A. C. Westgate, wood,	1.00
T. Scales, washing hose,	1.60
James Quirk, watching fire,	1.60
John Quirk, " "	1.60
George Quirk, " "	1.60
Hatch & Co., express,	.60
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	\$1,928.95
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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

<i>Dr.</i>			<i>Cr.</i>
A. J. Shooks, constable and serving notices,	\$331	80	Balance from last year, \$94 83 Appropriation. 900 00
H. W. Barney, constable and serving notices,	271	00	
A. Mowatt, keeper of lockup.	100	08	
C. F. Brownell & Co., livery,	33	50	
So. Mass. Tel. Co., rent,	27	60	
J. L. Gillingham, legal,	20	00	
B. F. Tripp, special,	11	00	
J. Telford, special,	6	50	
L. M. Baudoin, special,	6	00	
J. A. W. Burgess, special,	6	00	
W. S. Pierce, special,	5	00	
G. A. Ellis, special,	4	00	
Wm. H. Dunham, special,	3	00	
D. Gerstlauer, special,	3	00	
A. J. Jenney, special,	3	00	
H. F. Chandler, special,	3	00	
Amt. carried for'd,	\$834	48	Amt. carried for'd, \$994 83

*Police Department.**Dr.**Cr.*

Amt. brought for'd,	\$834 48	Amt. brought for'd,	\$994 83
G. T. Lloyd,			
special,	3 00		
A. R. Spooner,			
special,	3 00		
C. A. Terry,			
special,	3 00		
G. B. York,			
special,	3 00		
L. S. Morse,			
special,	3 00		
J. B. Peck,			
special,	3 00		
F. A. Rounseville,			
special,	3 00		
W. S. Padelford,			
special,	3 00		
C. A. Hacker,			
special,	2 00		
J. B. Alton,			
special,	2 00		
Balance,	132 35		
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	\$994 83		\$994 83

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT.

*Dr.**Cr.*

Expenditures as per schedule I annexed,	\$8,766 81	Balance from last year,	\$1,602 11
Board of Health as per schedule J annexed,	232 35	Transfer from Pease District sewer account,	410 62
Soldiers' Relief as per schedule K annexed,	290 40	State Treasurer, Corporation tax,	2,613 55
Military aid,	101 00	Bank tax,	2,460 81
State aid,	2,752 00	State aid,	2,484 50
Gypsy Moths ac- count, as per schedule L an- nexed,	113 60	Soldiers' burials,	70 00
Coggeshall street bridge, repairs,	41 13	Cash for land damage,	31 70
N. B. & Fairhaven bridge, repairs,	92 28	Scallop permits,	73 00
Fire alarm whistle, as per schedule M annexed,	499 79	Sundry licenses,	10 00
State Treasurer		By sundry pay- ments to Gypsy Moth account,	1 75
State tax,	3,360 00	City of New Bed- ford on account Coggeshall St. bridge,	5 29
Bank tax,	1,043 18	Town of Matta- poisett Cr. of Board of health,	18 00
State Highways, repairs,	59 57	Town of Warren Cr. of Board of health,	35 00
Transfer to bridge account,	169 41	Memorial appropri- ation,	150 00
Transferred to Oxford sewer,	1,200 00	Excess of taxes,	10,433 07
Balance unex- pended,	1,677 88		
	<u>\$20,399 40</u>		<u>\$20,399 40</u>

*Incidental Account.*NEW BEDFORD AND FAIRHAVEN BRIDGE
CONSTRUCTION.

<i>Dr.</i>	<i>Cr.</i>
City of New Bedford, award, Interest,	Appropriation, \$8,000 00 Transfer from Debt & Ins't, 49 02 Transfer from Incidental account, 169 41
\$8,169 41 49 02 <hr/> \$8,218 43	<hr/> \$8,218 43

SCHEDULE I INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT.

County treasurer, county tax,	\$4,843.90
Crapo, Clifford & Prescott, legal,	546.08
J. C. Tripp, insurance,	491.99
Extension of Pease sewer,	489.43
L. H. Simas, clerical service,	265.00
C. D. Waldron, printing,	249.00
A. T. Dow, printing reports,	157.20
N. B. Gas Co., bridge lights,	126.00
D. C. Ashley, inspector of animals,	150.00
Fairhaven Veteran Association,	150.00
J. L. Gillingham, legal services,	149.00
A. B. Collins, " "	22.00
Election officers' pay roll,	90.00
Smith Typewriter Co.,	85.00
A. J. Shooks, scallop duty,	68.00
W. C. Vaughan, Jr., soldiers' burials,	70.00
J. A. Orton, " "	35.00
C. F. Swift, recording,	79.00
N. H. Buffington, insurance,	50.00
C. H. Cragen, harbor master,	50.00
J. L. Hathaway, auditing,	52.00
Wm. B. Gardner, "	15.00

Incidental Account.

Nathaniel Pope, auditing,	15.00
Registrars' pay roll,	55.40
E. G. Spooner, stamps,	55.80
Mercury Pub. Co., printing,	43.65
Storey, Thorndike, Palmer & Thayer, opinion on bond issue,	40.00
F. W. Andrews, land damage,	31.70
J. B. Peck, sealer,	26.24
J. B. Peck, slaughter inspection,	27.75
E. G. Grinnell, slaughter inspection,	7.00
George Davies, damage,	25.00
H. V. Stevenson, copying records,	18.00
J. H. Howland, traveling expenses,	17.18
So. Mass. Telephone Co., rent,	12.65
J. C. Tripp, moderator,	10.00
A. B. Drake, surveying,	9.50
C. F. Brownell & Co., livery,	8.00
M. P. Whitfield, repairs,	7.91
L. H. Simas, typewriting for assessors,	6.00
Wm. H. Hoeg, Jr., assessing bank tax,	7.61
J. B. Peck, " "	3.80
N. J. Crossman, " "	3.80
H. S. Hutchinson & Co., supplies,	7.39
F. S. Brightman & Co., "	4.64
Remington Typewriter Co., supplies,	2.40
J. C. Tripp, administering oaths,	6.00
G. B. Luther, " "	1.75
W. C. Vaughan, Jr., death returns,	6.00
J. A. Orton & Co., " "	5.00
J. S. Williams, " "	3.50
Hobbs & Warren Co., blanks,	6.62
Sullivan & Markey, order books,	6.50
T. W. Whitfield, dinners,	4.25
W. H. Hoeg, Jr., expense to Boston,	5.50
W. A. Greenough, directory,	4.00
B. F. Stowell & Co., stamps,	3.05
A. C. Smith, staples,	5.00
J. L. Hill, tuning piano,	3.00
Riverside Cemetery, care Ricketts lot,	3.00

Incidental Account.

W. L. Kelley, badges,	2.00
Peter Murray, town lot,	2.13
Hatch & Co., express,	4.00
J. B. Peck, numbering houses,	2.00
W. H. Hoeg, Jr., stamps and blanks,	3.29
F. S. Blanchard & Co., year book,	2.00
J. C. Shaw, M. D., birth returns,	2.00
J. M. Bonnar, M. D., “	1.00
J. A. Berner, M. D., “	.75
F. S. Blackbird, pens,	1.50
Register of Deeds, recording,	1.25
M. D. Amaral, carting,	.75
Simeon Borden, copy of by-law.	.70
Commonwealth of Mass., one-fourth of liquor license,	.25
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	\$8,766.81

SCHEDULE J BOARD OF HEALTH.

Wm. H. Thayer, M. D., medical aid,	\$53.00
Wm. H. Thayer, M. D., vaccination and inspections,	33.50
Leininger Chemical Co., supplies,	33.60
C. D. Waldron, printing,	31.50
J. B. Peck, posting notices, etc.,	29.50
C. F. & A. H. Harrington, watching,	16.30
A. J. Shooks, watching,	12.20
A. J. Shooks, burying dogs.	10.50
H. W. Barney, “	5.00
L. M. Snow, supplies,	3.25
C. F. Brownell & Co., livery,	3.00
Louis Nickerson, freight,	1.00
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	\$232.35

*Incidental Account.*SCHEDULE **K** SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Georgianna Randall, cash,	\$72.00
Catherine Bryant, "	16.00
G. R. Wixon, "	30.00
W. C. Gifford, "	12.00
W. M. Stetson, provisions,	79.75
H. L. Perry, fuel,	44.50
Allen & Chase, fuel,	27.10
G. B. Borden, fuel,	6.30
W. F. Church, provisions,	1.50
J. H. Stetson & Co., shoes,	1.25
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	\$290.40

Charged in "Incidental Account."

SCHEDULE **M** FIRE ALARM WHISTLE.

Gamewell Fire Alarm Co., whistle machine,	\$331.00
Babbitt, Wood & Co., whistles,	100.50
N. B. Gas Co., poles,	32.75
Electric Manf'g Co., wire,	11.39
C. A. Hacker, labor,	13.50
E. G. Spooner, Jr., labor,	9.00
C. Smith, labor,	.80
N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad, freight,	.50
Atlas Tack Co., telephoning,	.35
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	\$499.79

Charged in "Incidental Account."

TOWN HALL.

*Dr.**Cr.*

Overdraft,	\$411 20	Appropriation,	\$2,200 00
A. Mowatt, janitor,	499 92	Rent Post Office,	400 00
A. Mowatt, extra		Rent of Halls,	535 00
labor,	51 25	J. C. Tripp, rent,	50 00
N. B. Gas Co.,			
lights,	400 57		
City Coal Co.,			
coal,	253 25		
Dodge & Grant,			
repairs,	117 22		
E. Noyes Whit-			
comb & Co.,			
repairs,	93 01		
J. Farquar's Sons,			
repairs,	83 92		
C. F. Delano,			
repairs,	53 92		
E. P. Hirst,			
repairs,	47 98		
M. P. Whitfield,			
repairs,	8 04		
G. R. Valentine,			
repairs,	1 25		
F. H. Water Co.,			
water,	58 78		
N. P. Hayes, sup-			
plies,	57 30		
A. Nye, supplies,	4 09		
W. S. Padelford &			
Bro., supplies,	2 22		
L. M. Snow, sup-			
plies,	90		
H. S. Hutchinson			
& Co., supplies,	60		
Amt. carried for'd,	\$2,145 42	Amt. carried for'd,	\$3,185 00

*Town Hall.**Dr.**Cr.*

Amt. brought for'd,	\$2,145 42	Amt. brought for'd,	\$3,185 00
N. B. Boiler Co.,			
tubes,	33 26		
E. G. Baldwin,			
polishing,	27 68		
H. H. Hathaway,			
painting,	18 75		
C. A. Hacker, re-			
pairs,	7 25		
H. A. Fitch, re-			
pairs,	2 43		
Peter Lord, re-			
pairs,	40		
C. W. H. Moulton			
& Co., ladder,	4 00		
G. W. Lloyd,			
labor,	3 50		
H. L. Wilson, bone			
meal,	3 50		
J. W. Westgate			
Est., wood,	2 00		
H. E. & E. Cush-			
man, wood,	2 00		
Balance,	934 81		
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	\$3,185 00		\$3,185 00

SALARIES.

<i>Dr.</i>				<i>Cr.</i>
Treasurer,			Balance from last	
C. F. Swift,	\$800 00		year,	\$13 99
Collector,			Appropriation,	2,500 00
W. H. Hoeg, Jr.,	400 00		Overdrawn,	32 88
Selectmen and				
Overseers of Poor,				
John H. Howland,	300 00			
W. P. Winsor,	150 00			
J. Pettee, Jr.,	150 00			
Board of Health,				
C. P. Maxfield,	25 00			
J. B. Peck,	25 00			
W. H. Thayer, M.D.	25 00			
Assessors,				
W. H. Hoeg, Jr.,	130 00			
J. B. Peck,	225 00			
N. J. Crossman,	16 87			
Sewer Commission-				
ers,				
E. G. Paull,	50 00			
G. T. Thatcher,	50 00			
Z. W. Dodge,	50 00			
School Committee,				
T. A. Tripp,	25 00			
L. E. Bentley,	25 00			
G. W. Stevens,	25 00			
D. W. Kendrick,	25 00			
G. H. Tripp,	25 00			
J. K. Nye,	25 00			
	<u>\$2,546 87</u>			<u>\$2,546 87</u>

STREET LIGHTS.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Overdraft,	\$137 06	Appropriation,	\$2,000 00
N. B. Gas Co.,		Overdrawn,	56 82
lighting,	1,919 76		
	<u>\$2,056 82</u>		<u>\$2,056 82</u>

DEBT AND INTEREST.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
New Bedford Institution for Savings, notes paid,	\$9,000 00	Balance from last year,	\$5,568 71
Loans in anticipation of taxes,	20,000 00	Appropriation,	5,500 00
Interest on notes and bonds,	3,644 76	Temporary loans,	20,000 00
Transfer to Bridge account,	49 02	Sewer assessments,	3,533 25
Balance,	1,908 18		
	<u>\$34,601 96</u>		<u>\$34,601 96</u>

PRESENT TOWN DEBT.

Oxford School note,	\$5,000.00	due on demand
Pease sewer note,	1,000.00	due Nov. 12, 1907
" " "	1,000.00	" " 20, 1908
" " "	1,000.00	" " 20, 1909
" " "	1,000.00	" " 20, 1910
" " "	1,000.00	" " 20, 1911
" " "	1,000.00	" " 20, 1912
" " "	1,000.00	" " 20, 1913
Oxford sewer,	5,000.00	" " 20, 1909
" "	2,000.00	" " 17, 1910
" "	2,000.00	" " 17, 1911
" "	1,000.00	" " 17, 1912
N. B. & Fairhaven Bridge note,	2,000.00	" " 1, 1914
" " "	2,000.00	" " 1, 1915
" " "	2,000.00	" " 1, 1916
" " "	2,000.00	" " 1, 1917
Bridge street sewer note,	850.00	" " 11, 1907
Cottage street sewer note,	350.00	" " 11, 1907
Sewer maintenance note,	500.00	" " 11, 1907
Sewer bonds, 4%	3,000.00	" Oct. 1, 1907
" " "	4,500.00	" " 1, 1908
" " "	4,500.00	" " 1, 1909
" " "	4,500.00	" " 1, 1910
" " "	4,500.00	" " 1, 1911
" " "	4,500.00	" " 1, 1912
" " "	5,500.00	" " 1, 1913
" " "	5,500.00	" " 1, 1914
" " "	5,500.00	" " 1, 1915
" " "	5,500.00	" " 1, 1916
" " "	5,500.00	" " 1, 1917

\$84,700.00

RECAPITULATION.

*Dr.**Cr.*

Expenditures for account of:		Appropriations and credits for ac- count of:	
General Highways,	\$8,620 18	General Highways,	\$8,621 40
Mill Road,		Mill Road,	200 00
So. Pleasant street extension,	112 30	So. Pleasant street extension,	174 19
Cottage street extension,		Cottage street extension,	14 16
Laurel street extension,		Laurel street extension,	115 70
Poor Department,	2,999 28	Poor Department,	3,766 00
Sewer maintenance,	2,994 30	Sewer maintenance,	3,059 71
Shone extension, Bridge street,	839 35	Shone extension, Bridge street,	850 00
So. West Sewer extension, Cot- tage street,	446 56	So. West Sewer extension, Cot- tage street,	350 00
Oxford Sewer,	12 69	Oxford Sewer,	21 96
Fire Department,	1,962 21	Fire Department,	2,060 92
Hydrants,	2,175 00	Hydrants,	2,193 75
Police,	862 48	Police,	994 83
Incidental,	18,721 52	Incidental,	20,399 40
New Bedford and Fairhaven Bridge,	8,218 43	New Bedford and Fairhaven Bridge,	8,218 43
Town Hall,	2,250 19	Town Hall,	3,185 00
Salaries,	2,546 87	Salaries,	2,513 99
Street lights,	2,056 82	Street lights,	2,000 00
Debt and interest,	32,693 78	Debt and interest,	34,601 96
Balance,	5,829 44		
	<u>\$93,341 40</u>		<u>\$93,341 40</u>

STREET DEPARTMENT.

NEW CURBING SET.

Green street, from Spring to Huttleston Ave., both sides,	2,940 ft. in length	
Bridge street, from Main to Adams, both sides,	3,304	"
Park avenue, from Bridge to Huttleston Ave., both sides,	1,480	"
Main street, from South to Church west side,	220	"
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	7,944	"

GUTTERS PAVED.

Green street, from Spring to Huttleston Ave., both sides,	2,940 ft. in length	
Bridge street, from Main to Adams, both sides,	3,442	"
Park avenue, from Bridge to Huttleston Ave., both sides,	1,440	"
Huttleston avenue and entrance to new High school,	600	"
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	8,422	"

NEW CATCH BASINS.

- 2 on Green street, between Spring and Christian.
- 2 on Green street, between Bridge and Christian.
- 4 on Bridge street, near Park avenue.
- 2 on Bridge street, near Mulbury.
- 1 on Huttleston avenue, near Green.
- 4 on Huttleston avenue, old culvert made larger and connected by 18 inch pipe to drain system.

CRUSHER STONE.

Purchased during the past year,	4,460	tons
Cobble paving purchased,	250	tons
Block paving purchased,	500	blocks

CLEARING SNOW.

There was expended for snow plowing and clearing snow,	\$109.50
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The following amounts were also expended from the highway appropriation :

MORGAN STREET.

Teams and labor,	\$226.77
72 loads gravel,	10.80
69 loads stone,	17.25
30 loads gravel from crusher,	30.00
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	\$284.82

BROWN STREET.

Teams and labor,	\$82.00
104 loads gravel,	15.60
18 feet 8 inch pipe,	13.50
20 tons stone screenings,	20.00
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	\$131.10

STREETS MACADAMIZED.

Green street, from Spring to Huttleston ave.,	1,500	ft in length
Bridge street, from Main to Adams,	1,782	"
Park avenue, from Bridge to Huttleston ave.,	760	"
Huttleston ave. and entrance to new high school,	300	"
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	4,342	"

SIDEWALKS GRADED AND COVERED WITH STONE SCREENINGS.

Green street, from Spring to Bridge, east side,	1,100 ft. in length	
Green street, from Bridge to Huttleston ave., west side,	340	"
Bridge street, from Main to Adams, north side,	1,700	"
Bridge street, from Main to Mulbury, south side,	900	"
Park avenue, from Bridge to Huttleston ave., east side,	380	"
Mulbury street, from Bridge to Christian, east side,	525	"
Brown street, from Adams, south side,	600	"
East Coggeshall street, from Adams, south side,	500	"
Sycamore street, west side,	650	"
Coggeshall street, repaired with screenings, north side,	800	"
Wilding street, repaired with screenings, north side,	135	"
Washington street, from Chestnut to Madison square,	3,300	"
	<hr/> 10,930	"

EAST COGGESHALL STREET.

Teams and labor,	\$74.50
74 loads gravel,	11.10
21 tons stone screenings,	21.00
30 feet 4 inch pipe for drain,	3.00
Crushed stone for drain,	4.00
	<hr/> \$113.60

SYCAMORE STREET.

Teams and labor,	\$88.50
88 loads gravel,	13.20
8 tons crushed stone,	8.00
18 tons stone screenings,	18.00
	<hr/> \$127.70

Taking up of ashes and rubbish, one year, estimated, \$1,050.00

TREE WARDEN'S REPORT.

Last year no appropriation was made by the town for the care of our shade trees. The beetle made its appearance as usual. It was found necessary for the good of the trees, as well as the town, to do what we could in a limited way to protect as far as possible our beautiful elms, and from June 23 to Aug. 14 a gang of men was kept at work spraying whenever the weather permitted, and with good results. The cost of spraying alone was \$425.72, and for other work on trees \$175.00, making a total of \$600.72, all of which was taken from the street department, the most of it contributed by the Superintendent of Streets, Mr. Henry H. Rogers, for which the people of Fairhaven most certainly feel very grateful.

No appropriation has been made by the town for the past three years, and whoever the town elects as Tree Warden ought to have an appropriation to work with. The trees ought to be cared for; they are too valuable to be destroyed by the beetle, and above all, by the careless man that don't care and has no regard for his *neighbor's home*.

I desire here to publicly thank those who were interested in the welfare of our trees who have reported to me owners of horses who have been careless enough to allow them to do damage to the same, and would recommend to the town an appropriation of not less than \$500.00.

JOHN I. BRYANT,

Tree Warden.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

GENTLEMEN :—The Board of Fire Engineers hereby present their report for the past year. During the year we have had six fire alarms and three still alarms. The total loss by fire, as estimated by the engineers, is \$3,400.00.

The house of Hose No. 2, Spring street, has had new sills and part new floor put in the past year; also the house of Hose No. 1, Oxford street, and the Protecting Society, Washington street, has been repaired.

The fire department is in first class condition at the present time. L. W. Dodge resigned as one of the engineers, and George T. Thatcher was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Respectfully submitted,

J. F. SULLIVAN,
GEO. T. THATCHER,
C. F. DELANO,
Engineers.

HOSE 1, OXFORD STREET.

Captain, William H. Whitfield,	J. O. Whitfield,
1st Ass't, G. H. Carpenter,	C. E. Hawkins,
2d Ass't, E. B. Tripp,	Chester Eldred,
Clerk, F. A. Monks,	J. H. Jones,
J. J. Jenney,	J. F. Gammons,
Lewis T. Thatcher,	D. A. Regan,
Fred Howland,	William Shaw,
Chas. R. Negus.	

HOSE 2, SPRING STREET.

Captain, T. R. Brownell,	S. H. Rouns ville,
1st Ass't, C. E. Westgate,	E. L. Bryant,
2d Ass't, Thomas Scales,	Valentine Deane,
Clerk, Clarence Terry,	J. A. W. Burgess,
F. W. Sohlgren,	F. A. Rouns ville.
G. B. York,	Peter Sheehan,
Patrick Sullivan,	C. E. Hackett,
N. B. Dunn.	

HOOK AND LADDER CO., WASHINGTON STREET.

Captain, A. W. Monk,	J. S. Gifford,
1st Ass't, C. F. Drew,	C. R. Sohlgren,
2d Ass't, John Taber,	W. L. Rouns ville,
Clerk, T. A. Clark,	J. S. Delano,
F. S. Ryonson,	Edward Jenney.

PROTECTION SOCIETY, WASHINGTON STREET.

President, Horace K. Nye,	Clerk, H. L. Pope,
H. L. Card,	T. W. Whitfield,
H. D. Burke,	F. A. Keith,
L. C. Bauldry,	G. B. Luther,
W. E. Card,	Nat Pope,
A. W. Kelley,	H. D. Waldron,
B. Taber, Jr.,	W. Valentine,
H. V. Bisbee,	Isaac N. Babbitt,
D. N. Kelley,	A. L. Bliss,
J. K. Nye,	Robert Betagh,
W. H. Taylor,	Ellsworth M. Burgess,
C. D. Waldron,	Wm. B. Gardner,
H. H. Hathaway.	

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

To the Citizens of Fairhaven :

The selectmen offer the following report and refer the citizens to the special reports for details of the various departments.

A study of the street department report will convey to those interested an idea of the many improvements in our streets, and we would call special attention to the valuable work that has been done during the past year on Bridge street, and other streets in its vicinity.

In the matter of the New Bedford and Fairhaven bridge: Judgment has been entered against the town of Fairhaven in the gross sum of \$42,889.35 in favor of the county of Bristol, the debt created and arising under the provisions of the Act of 1893, chapter 368, and the amendments thereto, and the Act of 1900, chapter 439, said amount being due Jan. 1, 1907.

And also judgment has been entered against the town in favor of the city of New Bedford in the sum of \$8,169.41, the debt created and arising under the provisions of the Act of 1900, chapter 439, due December 3, 1906, making a total cost for construction of the bridge to the town of Fairhaven of \$51,058.76.

In payment of the sum due the city of New Bedford notes have been issued to the amount of \$8,000.00. The balance, \$169.41, has been paid from the incidental account, and the interest, \$49.02, has been paid from the debt and interest account.

For amount due to the county of Bristol bonds to the amount of \$42,000.00 will be issued, leaving \$889.35, with the accrued interest, to be taken from the debt and interest account.

In estimating the requirements of the debt and interest account for the coming year, we have been guided by the following figures :

Pease district sewer note, due Nov. 12, 1907,	\$1,000.00
Bridge street sewer note, due Nov. 11, 1907,	850.00
Cottage street sewer note, due Nov. 11, 1907,	350.00
Bridge street sewer appropriation,	1,000.00
Sewer maintenance note, due Nov. 11, 1907,	500.00
Sewer bond, due Oct. 1, 1907,	3,000.00
Interest on sewer bonds,	2,120.00
“ “ notes outstanding,	1,268.00
“ “ bridge bonds authorized (\$42,000),	
8 months interest at 4%,	1,120.00
“ “ temporary loans,	400.00
“ “ Bristol county indebtedness,	600.00
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	\$12,208.00
Deduct credit to debt and interest acct., \$1,908.18	
“ sewer assessments (estimated), 1,500.00	
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	3,408.18

Leaving amount to be raised by taxation, \$8,799.80

In view of the above figures, the selectmen would suggest that an appropriation of \$8,800 be made for debt and interest.

The selectmen respectfully submit the following estimates for appropriations for the ensuing year, which exceed the estimates of last year by the sum of \$1,275 :

Highways,	\$3,000.00
Poor department,	1,600.00
Sewer maintenance,	3,000.00
Fire department,	1,700.00
Fire alarm,	150.00
Hydrants,	2,200.00
Police,	750.00
Town hall,	000.00
Salaries,	2,700.00
Street lights,	2,100.00
Debt and interest,	8,800.00

\$26,000.00

Respectfully submitted

JOHN H. HOWLAND,
W. P. WINSOR,
J. PETTEE, JR.,

Selectmen of Fairhaven.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

FAIRHAVEN, MASS., Feb., 1907.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Tax Collector, Treasurer, Selectmen, Overseers of the Poor and the School Committee for the town of Fairhaven for the year ending Feb. 11, 1907, and believe them correct.

WILLIAM B. GARDNER,
NATHANIEL POPE,

Auditors.

LIST OF JURORS FOR 1907

Albert C. Akin,	Moulder.
Roger W. Albiston,	Retired.
James M. Allen,	Boatbuilder.
Durfee D. Akin,	Farmer.
James E. Baker,	Trader.
Otis H. Bates,	Carpenter.
James N. Babbitt,	Machinist.
John A. Blackburn,	Carpenter.
Alexander F. Bliss,	Painter.
Charles F. Brownell,	Livery Stable.
Samuel S. Bumpus,	Clerk.
John A. W. Burgess,	Machinist.
William P. Burgess,	Gardener.
Nicholas Butler,	Weaver.
George H. Chase,	Machinist.
James A. Corson,	Teamster.
Henry P. Crowell,	Moulder.
James E. Card,	Motorman.
Abram H. Caswell,	Shoemaker.
George H. Carpenter,	Grocer.
Walter H. Day,	Carpenter.
Frank L. Davis,	Machinist.
Eben J. Dillingham,	Teamster.
Harry E. Dodge,	Carver.
Daniel Egan,	Carpenter.
Isaiah Gurney,	Wheelwright.
Benjamin M. Gibbs,	Buffer.
Jothan Goodnow,	Bookkeeper.
Lysander Gurney,	Tacker.
Henry T. Howard,	Farmer.
William A. Hamilton,	Machinist.

Pliny D. Handy,
 Edward D. Hatch,
 George H. Howland,
 David T. Hathaway,
 Walter H. Judd,
 Theron A. Kelley,
 John W. L. Kempton,
 Daniel W. Kendrick,
 George W. King,
 George G. Lawton,
 Thomas Linden,
 Frederick E. Lawton,
 Charles E. Lombard,
 Edward B. Mackie,
 William P. Macomber,
 George L. Montague,
 George Needham,
 Joseph C. Omev,
 Jeremiah H. Pease,
 Robert Palmer,
 Joseph B. Peck,
 John F. Sullivan,
 Fred J. Quirk,
 Roger Sherman,
 Moses S. Stone,
 Frank W. Sisson,
 William C. Stoddard,
 James P. Terry,
 Thomas N. Thacher,
 Frederick M. Taber,
 Thomas W. Wrightington,
 Charles A. Wilson,
 Samuel S. White,
 Jerome C. Wanner,
 Zenas Winsor,
 George R. Valentine,

Carpenter.
 Machinist.
 Farmer.
 Machinist.
 Manufacturer.
 Salesman.
 Pattern Maker.
 Farmer.
 Blacksmith.
 Farmer.
 Spinner.
 Farmer.
 Carpenter.
 Clerk.
 Minister.
 Retired.
 Silver Plater.
 Carpenter.
 Cooper.
 Engineer.
 Clerk.
 Weigher.
 Carpenter.
 Farmer.
 Farmer.
 Salesman.
 Farmer.
 Farmer.
 Tinsmith.
 Clerk.
 Farmer.
 Carpenter.
 Farmer.
 Clerk.
 Carpenter.
 Machinist.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT
OF
BIRTHS, MARRIAGES
AND
DEATHS.

MARRIAGES

Recorded in the Town of Fairhaven during the year 1906.

Date	Name of Parties	Residence
Jan. 9	Francis, Edward D. Jr.	Fairhaven
	Kane, Grace E.	Fairhaven
25	Stevens, Charles A. C.	Fairhaven
	Shurtleff, Florence E.	Fairhaven
Feb. 1	Ellis, Clinton E.	Fairhaven
	Wilcox, Mabel L.	Fairhaven
17	Pires, Manuel Francisco	Fairhaven
	Rodriques, Aurora	Fairhaven
26	Sylvia, John Baptist	Fairhaven
	Souza, Anna	Fairhaven
26	Freitas, Edward M.	Fairhaven
	Foster, Julia	Fairhaven
March 6	Correo, Marcolino	Rochester
	Gilmetta, Maria daSilvas	Rochester
27	Sohlgren, Frederick W.	Fairhaven
	Mays, Mabel S.	Fairhaven
April 7	Boardman, Arthur G.	Lynn
	Price, Sarah C.	Fairhaven
23	Bettencourt, John L.	Fairhaven
	Serpa, Jacintha Perirra	New Bedford
30	Sylvia, Joseph	Fairhaven
	Souza, Mary	Fairhaven
May 19	Sylvia, Francisco Gonsalves de	Fairhaven
	Ramos, Felippa Brum	Fairhaven
June 20	Demoranville, Alton	New Bedford
	Guilford, Lucy A.	Fairhaven
25	Bessette, Zephir	Fairhaven
	Richard, Josephine	New Bedford
27	Leary, Thomas	Fairhaven
	Riley, Mary Ellen	New Bedford
28	Page, Charles G.	New Bedford
	Kempton, Alberta F.	Fairhaven
30	King, George T.	Fairhaven
	Pierce, Edith M.	Fairhaven
26	Waldron, Henry Dean	Fairhaven
	Holmes, Elizabeth Clarke	New Bedford
July 13	Thatcher, Harry P.	Fairhaven
	Shirley, Mae S.	Methuen
23	Champlin, William Daniel	New Bedford
	Hathaway, Rebecca Winsor	Fairhaven
24	Burgess, Ellsworth M.	Fairhaven
	Lloyd, Bertha E.	Fairhaven
28	Dias, Antonio de Souza	Mattapoisett
	Conceição, Alexandrinha da	Mattapoisett
29	Rourke, Edward Thomas	Fairhaven
	Tripp, Helen Garfield	Marion
Aug. 1	Lilley, James E.	Fairhaven
	Lang, Caroline C.	New Bedford

MARRIAGES—CONTINUED.

Date	Name of Parties	Residence
Aug. 4	Kilmartin, Thomas F.	Fairhaven
	Forbes, Lyllian May	Fairhaven
7	Dean, Milton Oswin	New Bedford
	Jackson, Susan Pray	Fairhaven
1	Davis, Warren Ladd	New Bedford
	Bennett, Clara Louise	New Bedford
Sept. 4	Dunham, George O.	Taunton
	Ellis, Susan A. F.	Fairhaven
10	Brum, Manoel de	Fairhaven
	Mello, Rosa de	Fairhaven
11	Knowles, Henry M. 2d	Fairhaven
	Fisher, Lizzie Mabel	Walpole
Oct. 1	Braley, George F.	Fairhaven
	Howes, Susie M.	Eastham
1	Gagnon, Joseph	Fall River
	Poyant, Mary	Fairhaven
10	Seaman, John H.	New Bedford
	Pardee, Bessie L.	Fairhaven
15	Burdick, David J.	Fall River
	Babbitt, Mary R.	Fairhaven
15	Millette, Joseph O. D.	Fairhaven
	LaPlante, Emeline	New Bedford
22	Babbitt, Joseph W.	Fairhaven
	Frisselle, Mabel E.	Fairhaven
17	Ellis, Leon C.	New Bedford
	Hathaway, Masie M.	Fairhaven
25	Rae, Benjamin Garfield	Fairhaven
	Morton, Helen Tripp	Fairhaven
Nov. 29	Mitchell, Grover C.	Fairhaven
	Rudell, Hannah	New Bedford

BIRTHS

Recorded in the Town of Fairhaven during the year 1906.

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
Jan. 1	Nickerson, Duncan N.	David W. and Mary J. (Crosley)
4	Packard, Helen D.	Arthur W. and Helen S. (Dean)
7	Stevens, Emma L.	Elmer and Almira T. (Lawton)
8	Brazil, Jezuin	George and Mary (Sylvia)
11	Soares, Joaquinna	Louis and Mary D. (Ornellas)
15	Santos, Manuel	John and Mary (Anjos)
15	Marra, Madaline L.	Joseph R. and Mary L. (Sylvia)
21	Brunette, Albert G.	Alfred and Excilia (Lemerey)
24	Disbury, Anna	Robert and Margaret (Hall)
24	Brazil, Cecilia	Manuel J. and Julia G. (Tavares)
26	Grind rod William	Joseph T. and Rebecca (Pentleton)
Feb. 2	Paquin, Angoinette	Henry and Mary L. (Roy)
5	Jenkins, Ebenezer R.	Eldon W. and Athalia L. (Kelley)
6	Robinson, Richard	Reuben and Elizabeth (Schofield)
12	Howland, Eunice B.	Charles H. and Ruth B. (Gifford)
13	Whiting, Rachel T.	Elisha S. Jr. and Mary A. (Lincoln)
16	Guinois,	John and Mary (Soulard)
27	Besse, Karl James	Edward L. and Lillian E. (Jones)
Mar. 1	Roache, Joseph	Joseph and Levina (Vargus)
5	Bumpus, Lillian S.	Jermiah B. and Annie S. (Studley)
9	Patnaude, Rose A.	Ephrem and Melvina (Lavariere)
12	Hindle, Milton	John and Mary J. (Bancroft)
19	Marsh, Francis M.	Frank M. and Amy F. (Noyes)
23	Francis, Mabel L.	Walter H. and Lottie E. (Neale)
25	Bryant, Helen M.	Elbert L. and Mary F. (McArdle)
27	Peters, Anna	William L. and Mary (Gleason)
Apr. 2	Emeral, Manuel P.	Antonio P. and Alexandrinha (Augusta)
2	Andrews, Emily	Frank and Emily (Francis)
5	Past, Frank	Dominick and Dominica (Marchette)
5	Bishop, Everett F.	Arthur W. and Sarah (Watkins)
6	Venter, Walter	Manuel and Mary (Sylvia)
26	Perry, Alice F.	John and Alice M. (Baker)
27	Damas, Joseph	Frank and Philomena M. (Noia)
May 10	Franklin, Edward	Edward and May (Kelley)
10	Deschaine, Napoleon	Philias and Melvina (Franklin)
10	Deschaine, Joseph	Philias and Melvina (Franklin)
16	Sohlgren, Alma E.	Frederick W. and Mabel S. (Mays)
30	Sylvia, Francis	Joseph and Kate (Mello)
June 4	Livesey, Alice	John and Mary (Worseley)
7	Degree, Joseph L.	William and Emma (Toussant)
14	Longworth, Doris E.	Edward and Henrietta (Blackburn)
15	Dunn, Ellen L.	Frank E. and Ellen A. (Thomas)
17	Richard, Henry	Julien and Soph onia (Lemerie)
21	Foote, Trumania S.	Truman S. and Georgia (Hardy)
25	Lewis, Margaret	John and Fannie (Rose)
26	Wood, Grace W.	H. Walton and Grace E. (White)
July 3	Archambault, Arthur R.	Robert and Annie (Krouse)
5	Westgate, Bernice F.	Arthur C. and Tena (Charlton)
5	Lahue, Gladys A.	Frank H. and Lena M. (Hennebry)

BIRTHS—CONTINUED.

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
July 9	Hall, Emily	George and Ellen G. (Griffith)
10	Garcia, Mary S.	Antone S. and Theresa (Sylvia)
15	Choquette, Évaïne	Alphonse and Delia (Benoit)
15	Pierce, Attie J.	Walter S. and Mary L. (Brightman)
15	Kerns, Catharine A.	Michael F. and Mary (Kerrigan)
17	Rosa, John	Manuel and Louisa (Mello)
17	Pereira, Mary	Joseph and Ilhevia (Emilia)
17	Alves, Anthony A.	Julio C. and Junita (Gomes)
28	Stevens, Edward M.	Seth O. and Kate A. (Lowney)
29	Thurston, Franklin B.	Isaac A. and Cora A. (Brown)
31	Lynch, Anna L.	Peter and Theresa (Smith)
Aug. 1	Gagnon, Dora	Joseph and Josephine (Trembley)
1	Hammond, Florece W.	Harry C. and Minnie M. (Hayward)
3	Forent, Simons	Arthur and Lebe (Swallier)
3	Barnes, Warren H.	Edward W. and Lila F. (Danzelle)
3	O'Leary, Irene C.	Humphrey and Maggie (McCarty)
4	Lothian, Richmond	James L. and Gertrude E. (Brownell)
9	Myrick, Mary A.	Chester L. and Mary A. (Small)
10	Ellis, Walton F.	Clinton E. and Mabel L. (Willcox)
10	Sylvia, Toney	Gabriel and Mary (Almeida)
11	Goggan, Annie E.	James and Mary (Donovan)
15	Galligan, William	Eugene F. and Martha I. (Black)
16	Goulart, Lena	Joseph and Emerencianna T. (Pirez)
19	Mowatt, Donald A.	Alexander and Agnes (Reynolds)
20	Corréa, Mary	Manuel and Irmelinda (Medeiros)
21	Hough, John J.	James and Deborah (Callahan)
22	Bourque, Jennie A. L.	Joseph and Louisa (StCharles)
22	Coombs, Margery P.	Charles H. and Elsie M. (Pope)
23	Allen, John C.	Joseph H. and Grace M. (Nickerson)
30	Costa, Lena	Ernest and Elizabeth A. (Soares)
Sept. 6	Barcellos, Mary	Joseph and Mary (Francis)
6	Luscomb, Margaret	George A. and Helen R. (McCarty)
10	Fife, Osit	Michael and Louise (Beaudoin)
10	Gallagher, James E.	Charles and Annie (Evans)
12	Hall, Fred.	Thomas H. and Ada J. (Warburton)
15	Calloway, Edna M.	Frank and Alice B. (Ryan)
16	Parker, Earl	Ellis and Sarah (Pell)
17	Perry, John E.	Antone and Edna (Augusta)
17	Harrington, Lawrence L.	William A. and Lila M. (Staples)
25	Hamer, William S.	John R. and Clara (Stansfield)
Oct. 5	O'Leary, Michael J.	Cornelius and Mary A. (Ledy)
5	Oliveira, John R.	Antone G. and Libania (Correia)
15	Rogers, George	John E. and Mary (Frates)
15	Fittin, Frederick	Thomas and Eliza (Dawson)
19	Connell, Thomas E.	Thomas and Ellen (Regan)
19	Wilkinson, Leonard A.	John and Martha A. (Allerton)
24	Yates, John	James and Mary J. (Fox)
Nov. 3	Jarvis, Alfred	Manuel and Rosa (Corosa)
3	Sylvia, Marjory	Joseph and Mary (Souza)
5	Johnson, John O.	Thomas and Anna C. (Johnson)
11	Sheehan, Margaret E.	Michael and Mary (Costello)

BIRTHS—CONTINUED.

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
Nov. 12	Lewis, Mary D.	Tony and Mary G. (Rose)
15	Smith, Ethel M.	Fred. N. and Ethel M. (Harring)
16	Rose, Antone D.	Jack and Mary D. (Lewis)
20	Barton, Henry	John J. and Ellen E. (Hunt)
25	Rose, Arthur	Antone and Rosa (Sylvia)
26	Gauthier, Fred.	Levi and Antonia (StAmand)
27	Thayer, Doris L.	Claude L. & Charlotta W. (Guilford)
Dec. 3	LaLiberty, Melina	Damina and Mary (Potvin)
6	Lebeau, Edgar J.	Joseph and Minnie (Surprenant)
6	Sylvia,	Jesse M. and Marsella (Burge)
8	Gourley, Edward	Hugh and Ellen (Tomlinson)
9	Rapoza, Joseph	Augusto and Mary (Jacintha)
12	Jenney,	Joseph J. and Annie P. (Morse)
15	Poyant, Clovis R.	Clovis & Eugenie G. (Gentlehomme)
16	Regan, Catharine	Daniel A. and Annie (Neary)
17	Gething, Esma A.	Daniel C. and Margaret (Sargent)
17	Tootle, Milrena H.	William and Hannah (Haslam)
25	Porter, Henry	Richard and Rose (Monroe)
25	Howland, Francis B.	Charles H. and Ruth B. (Gifford)
25	Bettencourt, John	Joseph and Mary (Costa)
27	Laferiere, Albert L. J.	Adam and Martha (Pepin)
27	Durfee, Gertrude E.	Leopold G. and Gertrude I. (Inman)
Aug. 20	Gracia, Rosa	Michael and Rosa (Gracia)

DEATHS

Recorded in the Town of Fairhaven during the year 1906.

Date	Name	Age			Disease
		y	m	d	
Jan.	6 Brown, Antone		1	23	Pneumonia
	8 Surprenant, Moses	70			Paralysis
	9 Gulate, Francisco		6	9	Gastro enteritis
	10 Gifford, Beatrice Pearl		1	16	Meningitis
	10 Surprenant, Roland W.		3	18	Infantile debility
	10 Perry, Manuel J. Jr.	39			Poisoning
	12 Shurtleff, Achsah G.	72	2		Arterio sclerosis
	17 Baker, William G.	73	11	17	Arterio sclerosis
	19 Soulard, Charles	72			Bronchitis
	21 Damas, Francisco R.	40			Typhoid pneumonia
	24 Disbury, Anna				
	24 Pease, John C. Jr.	56	11	10	Broncho pneumonia
	26 Westgate, Joseph W.	59			Broncho pneumonia
	2 Patt, Henry A.	69			Arterio sclerosis
Feb.	1 Tootle, James	16	9	3	Septic peritonitis
	5 Astin, William H.	52	11	18	Arterio sclerosis
	12 Howland, Eunice B.				Debility
	16 Guinois, —				
	17 Hammond, Harriet L.	77	10	6	Endocarditis
	21 Tripp, Arnold G.	87	9	11	General debility
	21 Jenney, Watson	82		4	Apoplexy
Mar.	23 Severance, Mary P.	63	11	28	Tuberculosis
	1 Card, Susan F.	56	4	15	Cancer
	8 King, Isabella E.	43	5	2	Tuberculosis
	21 Foster, Thomas	60			Pneumonia
	22 Clark, Charles B.	47	2	21	Peniclou anaemia
	23 Aldrich, Sarah P.	66	6		Cerebral hemorrhage
	26 Hathaway, Russell	81	5	24	Endocarditis
Apr.	31 Perry, Antone Jr.	3	2	2	Pneumonia
	5 Damon, John F.	54	1	18	Nephritis
	7 Soares, William		3	3	Pneumonia
	10 Padelford, James Jacob		11	10	Meningitis
	11 Harris, Charles C.	82	9	10	Heart disease
	20 Spooner, William B.	66			Drowning
	21 Machado, Mary	17			Tuberculosis
May	28 McLane, John H.	50	9	17	Nephritis
	2 Brunet, Albert G.		3	10	Pneumonia
	5 Sylvia, Anna	1	5		Debility
	6 Telford, John	51			Drowning
	10 Deschaine, Joseph				
	10 Dechaine, Napoleon				
	11 Peirce, James 2d	88			Cancer
June	12 Cambra, Maria da R.	22			Tuberculosis
	26 Miller, Munson	58	3	9	Haemoptysis
	31 Potvin, Napoleon	34			Pleuresy
	3 Infant, unknown				

DEATHS—CONTINUED.

Date		Name	Age			Disease
			y	m	d	
June	3	Jenney, Mary A.	70			Carcinoma
	8	Murray, James G.	36	8	27	Nephritis
	9	Brant, Catherine A.	61	10	14	Bronchitis
	21	Tremblay, Henry A.	25			Fracture of skull
	23	Blossom, Susan S.	61		7	Carcinoma of liver
	23	Jenney, Eunice C.	74			Paralysis
July	30	Williams, Frances	74	5	1	Bright's disease
	11	Harding, Millbon O.	63	8	27	Phthisis
	18	Gracia, Maria S.			9	Tetanus
	23	Terry, Cordelia A.	70	8	27	Cancer
	24	Brazil, Cecelia		6		Enteritis
	25	Morton, Hannah	88	3		Nephritis
	25	Alves, Anthony Antone			8	Oedema
	27	Metozo, Engelca V. A.	23	10		Septicaemia
Aug.	9	Hindle, Milton		4	27	Marasmus
	9	Bryant, Elbert A.	1	11	3	Marasmus
	15	Clarke, Cordelia N.	73	3		Nephritis
	17	Wilcox, Harrison Jr.	1	3	5	Cholera infantum
	21	Myrick, Mary Abbie			12	Natural causes
	22	Westgate, Florence C.	1	4		Cholera infantum
	24	Bullen, Clementine D.		9	27	Cholera infantum
Sept.	1	Maxfield, Frank T.	24	10	20	Gangrenous dysentery
	1	Barlow, Esther	85	9		Natural causes
	4	Hadfield, Elizabeth M.	75			Paralysis
	9	Galligan, Esther L.	1	1	29	Ilco-colitis
	11	Dawe, Frederick C.	50	4	15	Apoplexy
	12	Jenney, Perry P.	70	8	14	Heart disease
	13	Howland, Eunice C.	51	10	27	Dillitation of stomach
	16	Medeiros, Vergina	5	1	23	Meningitis
	17	Hardy, Georgiana N.	75	3	14	Diabetes
	25	Eldredge, Eliza W.	77	11	8	Hemorrhage
	26	Hawes, Amelia	76			Cerebral hemorrhage
	26	Hamer, William S.			1	Debility
	30	Weeks, James D.	60	5		Carcinoma
Oct.	4	Belthrowa, Manuel		8		Marasmus
	15	Springer, Elizabeth E.	50	4	15	Heart disease
	15	Tilton, Frederick				Asthenia
	18	Holmes, Church	76	8		Nephritis
	19	Gallagher, Annie	14	2	26	Tuberculosis
	19	Rogers, William K.	57	8	23	Nephritis
	24	Tripp, Mary Ann	96		2	Natural causes
	29	King, Edith M.	19	4	23	Bright's disease
	31	McLane, Martha	77		3	Paralytic shock
Nov.	2	Soares, Joaquina		8		Meningitis
	2	Black, Minerva S.	88			Arterio sclerosis
	5	Allen, Thomas B.	1	1	13	Suffocation
	11	Smith, Walter N.	4	6	24	Croup
	10	Marston, Mary E.	72		2	Cancer of liver

DEATHS—CONTINUED.

Date	Name	Age			Disease
		y	m	d	
Nov. 14	Hough, John J.		2	14	Pneumonia
16	Smith, Ethel M.	20	6		Pneumonia
17	Wilkinson, Dinah	61	10	4	Paresis
26	Thomas, John	5	6	13	Diphtheria
Dec. 1	Smith, Ethel M.			16	Debility
7	Alden, Seth	84	4	20	Bright's disease
8	Gourley, Edward				
9	Conniff, Peter	68			Pneumonia
9	Patnaude, Rose Alma		9		Debility
26	Wilkie, Almira F.	64	10	6	Cancer of liver
29	Eldredge, William D.	54	7		Heart disease
30	Maker, Charles W.	52	3	28	Carcinoma of stomach

REPORT
OF THE
Sewer Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE SEWER COMMISSIONERS.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen, Town of Fairhaven.

GENTLEMEN:—The board of sewer commissioners present their annual report on sewers.

During the past year there have been two additions made to the sewers, viz: Extension of the gravity system on Cottage street about seven hundred (700) feet, and extension of the Pease district Shone on Bridge street about eight hundred (800) feet. The extension of the Adams street gravity sewer on the upper part of Bridge street, for which an appropriation was made, it was not deemed advisable to commence, being so late in the season. The pipe is delivered on the proposed line of sewer, ready for work in the early spring, or as soon as the conditions are suitable.

During the past year there have been twenty-nine (29) houses connected with the sewers, which shows that the residents are fully alive to the advantages of a sewerage system.

The pumping station had considerable repairs made, resetting the boiler, new hose for flushing sewers, electric lights installed, and minor repairs. It still needs more repairs. The roof must be resingled very soon. The cost of maintenance is on the increase, which must follow as a matter of course, owing to the increased area of sewerage district to be taken care of.

We would call your attention again to the fact that very soon some means must be devised to make additions to the plant. At the present time we are about up to our limit on the main

engine; any accident to this unit of power under severe conditions would flood the entire Shone district. Even now we have complaints of back flowing of sewerage.

For this year we would suggest that an appropriation of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) be made.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE T. THATCHER,

Clerk.

REPORT
OF THE
BOARD OF HEALTH.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

To the Citizens of Fairhaven :

The board of health respectfully submits its annual report for the year 1906.

The board organized in March, 1906, with the choice of Charles P. Maxfield, as chairman; Joseph B. Peck, as secretary; Dr. William H. Thayer, as medical inspector.

There have been reported to the board during the last twelve months, sixty-one cases of contagious and infectious diseases, viz :

- 17 scarlet fever,
- 4 measles,
- 12 diphtheria,
- 1 membranous croup,
- 27 whooping cough.

This shows an increase in number of twelve cases in comparison with last year. One death resulted from these sicknesses.

Many complaints of nuisances were made to the board, which, upon notice, were promptly abated.

There have been inspected by Joseph B. Peck, inspector of slaughtered animals, who was appointed by the board, as the law directs, 175 slaughtered animals, viz :

- 169 swine,
- 5 beef animals,
- 1 calf.

All the slaughter-houses were found to be kept in a sanitary condition, and no animals unfit for food were sold, within our knowledge.

No license was granted to any person or place where the Jews could slaughter under the license of others; we recommend that the same condition continue.

Dr. D. C. Ashley inspected at the general inspection the following animals, viz :

627 cows,
155 swine.

This is the largest number ever reported in the town. He placed in quarantine seven cows, which were brought from Canada, under the tuberculosis test. He found and killed, and caused to be buried or rendered, seven cows having tuberculosis, and the places where they were found disinfected. The milk from these cows helped to furnish Fairhaven's supply.

Concerning the abodes of the cattle in town, the inspector reports the following: "I have found things sadly below the standard in regard to sanitary surroundings, light, ventilation, and cleanliness. Nearly all the barns in Fairhaven can be improved very much at a small expense,—such as putting in more windows on the south sides of the barns, keeping the cow barns cleaner, by the use of good clean sawdust, and by better ventilation in the same. I find there are none who handle their milk just right, but the milk dealers come the nearest to doing so. That all may have no excuse as regards the proper way to handle milk, I will insert in this report an up-to-date method, hoping that all who handle milk will adopt the same."

"In the preservation of milk, which should be the chief aim of the milkman and the housewife, it should be remembered that, with the exception of creaming, which is due to the action of gravity, all changes in milk are brought about by the action of bacteria. Milk containing no bacteria undergoes little or no change, and remains indefinitely sweet. When secreted in the udder of a healthy cow, it is doubtless in this condition, but to transfer it to a bacteria-proof vessel is no easy matter, and despite all precautions possible in every day practice, many bacteria will gain access to the milk while being drawn, and in the

subsequent handling of it. The best that can be done is to keep out as many as possible. Now, in order that the milk may be as free from germs as possible, certain conditions should be observed, viz. :

"That cattle should be free from disease. Hence, every herd of cows producing milk for human consumption should be inspected by a veterinarian, employing the tuberculin test to such herds as require it, and ordering the removal of all cows that react to the test, and all that have diseased udders.

"The cows should be kept as free from dust and dirt as possible, and if the hair on the flank and udder were moistened before the milking began, it would prevent particles from falling off into the milker's pail.

"The air of the stables should be kept pure and free from dust. The milker's hands and clothes should be kept perfectly clean. The first few spoonfuls of milk from each teat should be rejected. All utensils and cans should be cleansed in the following manner: First, wash out with hot water; then with hot water and sal soda, using a brush, so as to clean thoroughly all seams and other parts of the cans; then rinse in boiling water and hang up to drain in a clean, pure atmosphere. The cooling and ærating of the milk, and transferring of it to the cans, should be done in an atmosphere which is as pure as possible. Having taken every precaution to keep the bacteria out of the milk, the next precautions are to prevent the multiplication of such as have invariably entered. To accomplish this, low temperature seems the most practical for the dealer. Frozen milk keeps indefinitely, as no bacteria can grow in it; but at a temperature of from thirty-five to forty-five degrees, it keeps long enough for most purposes; this temperature can be readily obtained by the use of ice; it is important that the milk be cooled after being drawn as soon as it is possible. After cooling the cans should be kept at as low a temperature as is practical until delivered to the consumer.

"Consumers cannot be too careful about their milk supply.

especially if it is intended for infants and invalids; insist upon having a good quality, remembering that two things must be taken into consideration: First, the manner in which the cows and milk are treated; and second, the solid matter the latter contains. Avoid all milkmen whose wagons, teams and drivers have not a neat and tidy appearance, for no milkman who handles his milk in a cleanly manner will send out a dirty wagon or driver. If possible, visit the dairy furnishing you milk. Nothing would do more to stimulate neatness among dairymen than the frequent visits of their patrons. Ascertain what the composition of the milk furnished is, remembering that its richness cannot always be judged by the thickness of the cream which forms on the surface. Milk containing too high a percentage of fat is not as suitable food for children as an average milk, since an excess of fats interferes with the proper digestion of the rest of the ingredients. Furnish a thoroughly cleansed and sterilized dish for receiving the milk, and then if it sours within fifteen or eighteen hours, when kept free from dust and at a moderate temperature (60 to 70 degrees Fahr.), or if it becomes ropy or bitter, or sours with an offensive odor, or the formation of many gas bubbles, call the milkman's attention to the matter. All such changes are due to too many bacteria being permitted to enter the milk, owing to the careless or unclean handling of it."

No cases of the foot and mouth disease have been found within our jurisdiction the past year.

The board recommends, as before, that the town license some responsible person to collect the swill and garbage, at least twice a week, from the residences of those who make application to him. Water-tight cans should be used in removing said garbage. As the Improvement Association has begun this work, we would advise that they combine their efforts with those of the board of health, so that the conditions may be made as sanitary as possible.

No complaint in regard to expectorating upon the sidewalks and in public places has been made the past year.

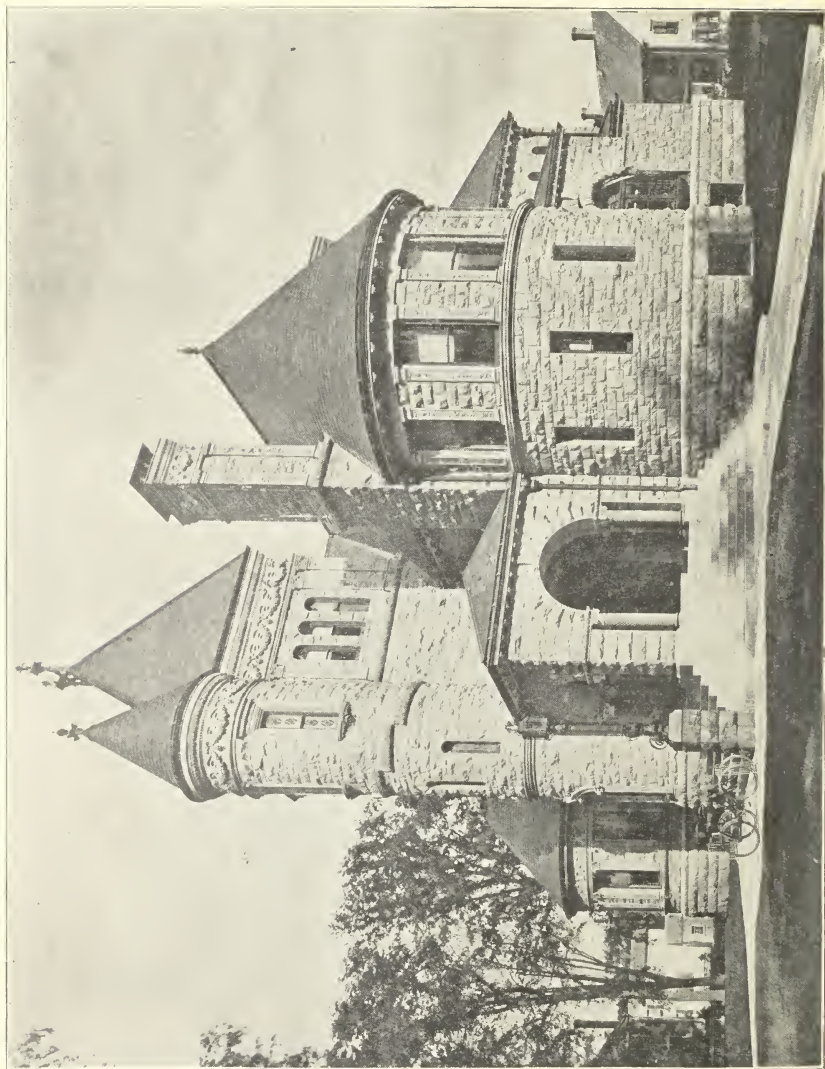
The board wishes to call the attention of the public to a very important notice:—(Chap. 80 Sec. 78, of the Public Statutes). “When a householder knows that a person within his family is sick with small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice to the selectmen or board of health of the town in which he dwells. If he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding (\$100) one hundred dollars.”

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES P. MAXFIELD,
JOSEPH B. PECK,
WILLIAM H. THAYER, M. D.

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THE MILLICENT LIBRARY

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FAIRHAVEN, MASS.

ANNUAL REPORT

1906

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1893—1907

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Standing Committees

1907—1908

Book Committee—

H. H. Rogers, President; F. B. Lyman, Vice-President;
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Finance Committee—

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G. W. Stevens.

Trustees

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LIBRARIAN'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1906.

To the Trustees of The Millicent Library:

I have the honor to present the librarian's report for 1906.

Growth in Volumes

The additions of books for the year number 933 volumes; 82 more than last year. 195 volumes were withdrawn, leaving a net gain of 738, which, added to the 17,108 in the library Dec. 31, 1905, makes the present total 17,846.

The most extensive purchases in any one class were of fiction, being 338 volumes (36%) out of the 933, including 197 new stories and 141 replaced or additional copies. The next largest class was literature 106; then sociology 71, fine arts 69, and so forth down to 11 volumes of ethics and philosophy. Of the 933, 603 are entirely new works and 330 are additional copies or volumes.

Registration

378 persons received borrower's cards; adult residents of Fairhaven 138, of school age 146; residents of New Bedford 30, and of other places 64. These 378 names bring the total registration since May 1, 1902, up to 2,940, of which number there are in Fairhaven 2,351, 52 per cent. of a population of 4,500, a per cent. not surpassed in the country.

Home Use

The home use, as shown by the outside circulation, was 46,275, the percentage of fiction dropping to 56.9. The use in the building of periodicals and books has by observation

increased both in the number of readers and in the lengthening of their stay. I feel that the majority of the readers use the library moderately to their good, but that some are reading decidedly too much and thinking too little. There are other persons in town, however, who might become readers, and it is to them that the library might better address itself, rather than to the increase in the amount of reading of any one person.

Reference Work

The reference work has grown more, perhaps, than any other department, and the collection of reference material, lists of books on live subjects, references to particular pages of books and magazines for special subjects, etc., has nearly overflowed the drawers allotted to it. The new high school has also by its changed and broadened courses of study increased the number of questions and broadened the scope of the school reference work.

Bulletins

Eight bulletins showing the 900 additions and containing for most of the entries descriptive notes have been issued at intervals.

Repairs

Numerous minor repairs and improvements have been made to the building and its equipment, so that it stands in remarkably good condition for a building in use so many years, and so many hours every day in the year.

The Staff

The library has been represented by members of the staff at the meetings of the A. L. A. at Narragansett Pier, where the librarian presented the detailed Report on gifts and bequests

to libraries covering the United States and Canada, and where he was re-appointed member from New England, of the Finance committee. Some member of the staff also has been at most of the meetings of the local associations.

To the Board of Trustees the staff has to offer the most sincere thanks for its continued confidence and support.

DREW B. HALL,
Librarian.

Jan. 8, 1907.

APPENDIX 1

Growth 1906

Volumes January 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	17,108
Volumes added	.	.	.	.	.	933	
Volumes withdrawn	.	.	.	.	.	195	
Net gain	.	.	.	.	.		738
Net total December 31	.	.	.	.	.	.	17,846

APPENDIX 2

Registration, 1902-06

	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	Total	
Fairhaven, adult	877	231	185	101	138	1532	
Fairhaven, school age	264	112	104	193	146	819	2351
New Bedford	99	61	20	30	30	240	
Other places	106	92	31	56	64	349	589
Totals	1346	496	340	380	378		2940

APPENDIX 3

Library Staff

LIBRARIAN

DREW B. HALL, July, 1901-

ASSISTANTS (alphabetical order)

FLORA H. LEIGHTON, January, 1903-

EDA M. PERRY, February, 1905-

ANNIE THOMPSON, December, 1891-

JANITOR

HORATIO JENNEY, March, 1894-Dec., 1906

GEORGE H. JENNEY, December, 1906-

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DANA H. GILLINGHAM, August, 1905-

FAIRHAVEN
SCHOOL REPORT

1907

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

JOSEPH K. NYE,	Term expires 1907
GEORGE H. TRIPP,	Term expires 1907
GEORGE W. STEVENS,	Term expires 1908
DANIEL W. KENDRICK,	Term expires 1908
THOMAS A. TRIPP,	Term expires 1909
LEWIS E. BENTLEY,	Term expires 1909

Chairman,

THOMAS A. TRIPP.

Secretary and Superintendent,

FRANK M. MARSH, A. M.

Superintendent's Office Hours,

Town Hall	{	Wednesday, 4.00-5.00 P. M.
	}	Wednesday, 7.00-8.00 P. M.
High School	{	Monday, 8.30-9.30 A. M.
	}	Wednesday, 8.30-9.30 A. M.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

To the Citizens of Fairhaven:

Agreeable to our annual custom, we herewith present your committee's report of receipts and expenditures in the school department for the past, and recommendations for appropriation for the coming year.

The last year is marked in the history of the school department of our town by a change from one of the poorest to the finest, best equipped and most beautiful high school institution in New England—perhaps in the whole country.

The parents of the children in Fairhaven have a feeling of deep satisfaction that their children are offered a high school education under such perfect conditions. Since the opening of the new high school we believe the citizens of the town have shown a much deeper interest in educational work.

Our town is confronted with the same problem that is troubling most towns throughout the country—that is, the necessity for increased accommodations and the increased cost of efficient teachers. From every school department comes the strong demand for teachers, and with this strong demand and increased cost of living, it is no more than natural that the salaries of the teachers must advance along with those of other occupations.

In regard to further accommodations, it becomes strongly evident that the town in the very near future will have to build another school house. It will be a great surprise to most of the citizens of Fairhaven to know that the total enrollment of children in the Fairhaven schools is nine hundred and sixty-seven (967) and the average attendance eight hundred and

eighty (880). These are for the most part in the grammar and primary grades, and we have but four school houses to accommodate them.

The Oxford school was built to accommodate one hundred and fifty (150) pupils, and is now carrying nearly two hundred (200). The Rogers school, built for three hundred and twenty (320), is filled, while the Annex on Washington street, with its six small rooms, is housing something like two hundred and fifty (250) more, the two lower rooms of which are very low studded, dark and difficult to heat, and are not such quarters as are desirable for school room purposes.

Not an additional pupil can be put in these buildings, and in view of quite an increase in the population of Fairhaven now and in the near future, it is imperative that the town should at once interest itself in a new school building, plain but substantial, with the simplest possible heating and ventilating apparatus.

It is the unanimous opinion of the School Committee that a special committee should be appointed at the approaching town meeting to consider the subject and report with recommendations at a special town meeting to be called later.

The committee recommend that the sum of \$18,500 be appropriated for the support of schools for the ensuing year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH K. NYE,
 GEORGE H. TRIPP,
 DANIEL W. KENDRICK,
 GEORGE W. STEVENS,
 LEWIS E. BENTLEY,
 THOMAS A. TRIPP.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the School Committee of Fairhaven:

I have the honor of submitting to you my sixth annual report, which will in brief indicate to you and through you to the citizens the essential facts concerning the conduct and organization of the schools during the past year, as well as some of the problems and conditions which confront the department. To this report is attached a detailed financial statement of all receipts and disbursements in the various departments, together with the usual statistics of enrollment, attendance, etc., etc.

The statistical tables show the present distribution of pupils at the various schools and the numbers there enrolled. At the New Boston school the first four grades are maintained; six grades are cared for in the Oxford building; while all the other pupils of the town are cared for at the Rogers school and Rogers annex. A glance at the enrollment will show that the Oxford school has been crowded beyond reasonable limits, and that the Annex has scarcely been able to house the pupils there enrolled, even by maintaining half sessions for the first grades; while every room at the Rogers school has been used. After two small rooms at the Rogers school annex were made available by the removal of the cooking and manual training departments to the new High school, and after placing the preparatory class in one of the rooms of the High school building, it has been possible this year, by overcrowding in some cases, to make provision for all pupils. The opening of these three additional rooms involved the employment of three

additional teachers, the necessity for which can readily be seen from the fact that the enrollment in all the schools has advanced from 821 to 967—an increase of 146—about 100 of which number has been in the grades below the high school.

The most important change over the organization of last year was made when the ninth grade in the elementary department was abolished, and in its place was organized the preparatory class. We believe this change to be of vital importance for two distinct reasons. In most places the ninth grade has furnished a difficult problem, in that much of the work of the elementary school curriculum can be done in eight years by most pupils, and in order to make this grade more attractive many attempts have been made to obviate the uninteresting repetition and review of previous subjects by the introduction of Latin, French, Algebra and other high school subjects. This has not proved satisfactory in most cases because of the impossibility of securing grammar teachers who could teach these subjects.

On the other hand, many progressive cities and towns like Boston, Providence, Quincy and many others, including a majority of the towns of New York and the middle west, have only eight grades, not even attempting to modify the work of the ninth year. Secondly, and of most importance, is the relation of this change to the high school. One of the pressing problems in the case of every high school has been the adjustment of the entering classes to the high school conditions. There has always been a wide gap, both in respect to the subject matter of the ninth grade and the first year high school, also a wide difference in the method of teaching. The grammar school teachers have been blamed because pupils were sent to the high school unprepared; high school teachers have been blamed because they required too much of the entering pupils. All in all, this has been the most troublesome spot in the organization of the school system.

The organization of this preparatory class, with a new course of study greatly enriched and modified, will have two beneficial effects. First, it will hold more pupils in the school on account of the greater interest in the course, and more important than this, it will have for its aim, both in respect to its subjects and methods of teaching, a *direct* and *specific* preparation for high school work. This, we firmly believe, will obviate, to a large extent, the very prevalent and much regretted tendency for boys and girls to become overwhelmed and discouraged in the attempt to successfully adjust themselves to the first year of high school. This preparatory class should have a teacher who is a college graduate, and, if possible, having a special normal course: a teacher who *knows* boys and girls at this transition period; who will have the skill and tact to accomplish the best results. We have been able to start this class, in Fairhaven, under conditions more favorable than those just outlined, on account of the location of this class in one of the rooms of the High School building. This enables the teacher of this class to teach her specialty to high school classes in exchange with the teachers of special high school subjects, so that a double advantage is gained, since this preparatory class teacher deals with nearly all the high school classes in her special subject, discovering the deficiencies and needs of high school pupils, while on the other hand, the high school teachers, who teach their specialties to the preparatory class, accustom the pupils to high school methods and more intelligently and effectively prepare them for real high school work. Moreover, this special arrangement of locating this class in the High School building has the further administrative advantage of convenience, the pupils are not obliged to travel twice a week back and forth from an outside building to the manual training, cooking and physical training classes. On the whole, this promises to be a very successful solution of many of the troubles which have been so common at this particular spot. In a word, the purpose of this class is to

provide a year in which a large amount of elasticity of grading and treatment may be practiced, and where adjustments and corrections may be made—in fact, to furnish a sort of clearing house.

Since the last annual report ten teachers have withdrawn from the service: Mr. A. C. Cobb from the manual training department; Miss Bruce and Miss Barbour from the high school; Miss Helen E. Howe, Miss Lucie A. Metcalf, Miss Inez E. Howes, Miss Grace S. Dixon, Miss Gertrude S. Nash, Miss Clara E. Wellman, from the grades.

The following teachers have been added to the teaching corps: Miss K. L. Fairbanks, Miss Marion M. Sylvester, Miss Ethel L. Hodge, Miss Agnes F. Gillen, Miss Charlotte J. Bruce, Miss Stella Caouette, Miss Edith H. Fay for the grade schools; Miss Mary A. Bates, Miss Grace M. Grant, Miss Elinor T. George, Miss Nancy L. Lincoln, Miss Louisa M. Norton, Mr. Whitney, Mr. Hill, and Mr. Belcher, for the high school; making a total of fifteen additions within the year.*

The question of providing teachers for the public schools is one of the most serious problems, and is growing more and more serious from year to year. The prevailing scarcity of even fairly successful teachers has been realized by those who are directly responsible for providing the schools with teachers, but the general public has not yet become aware of the fact, and many cannot quite understand the reason for it. Many causes may be pointed out which have been constantly working toward the reduction of the supply of good teachers. During the past ten or fifteen years many occupations other than that of teaching have opened up to young women who are seeking a livelihood; whereas, formerly, school teaching was about the only calling which admitted young women seeking honorable employment. In the past few years many of our brightest and most capable young women have turned from the call to teach, and are engaging profitably and successfully in stenography, typewriting, bookkeeping and business; while others, as pros-

* NOTE—While copy was in press, the resignations of Miss Maud B. Priest and Miss T. M. Butterfield were received.

perity has favored them, are enjoying the advantages offered by our many woman's colleges whose graduates seek only *high school* positions.

The majority of these new openings pay better salaries and involve less responsibility and criticism. Another cause of the relative decrease of teachers is the unattractiveness of the calling and the increased and increasing difficulty of securing board and lodging at reasonable prices, and sometimes the inability to find board in the same town in which the school is located. It is also a fact that salaries in almost all the ordinary lines of employment have increased to a considerable extent, and the cost of living has rapidly advanced, while the salary of teachers has until recently remained nearly stationary. It is only within a few years that it has been realized by many of our cities and towns that an adjustment of salaries was absolutely necessary. Another factor which lies deeper than the rest and which is perhaps least thought of, is that of the large immigration of foreign population, especially to our cities, which has brought a multitude of uneducated who must be taught in our public schools. This foreign immigration has brought with it absolutely no teaching force; consequently the demand on the part of municipalities for teachers has made a serious drain upon our native teaching power. The policy of most of the states has been to safeguard the republic by providing for the education of at least the children of these immigrants, as well as of our native population. In a democracy like ours, it has seemed to the framers of legislation that the welfare of our country and the safety of her institutions depend upon the education of her people; hence the compulsory school laws. It has naturally followed that old buildings have been overcrowded, new buildings and new teachers have been demanded faster than they could be supplied. When we thoughtfully consider the matter, it is easy to see that there are many causes why relatively fewer and fewer teachers are replenishing the ranks, and on the other hand, why there is a rapidly increasing demand for teachers.

There is also no reason why the law of supply and demand should not apply to this problem as well as to all economical situations. As a matter of fact, this law is being seriously felt at the present time, not only in Massachusetts and New England, but throughout the country, and will be felt far more keenly until salaries are sufficient to attract to the work not only more young women, but sufficient to call into the service of education more men, who, from the very nature of the case, would remain longer and more permanently at the work. I am sure your board thoroughly appreciates the fact that the public schools cost large sums of money, and, considering the financial condition of the town, have always figured carefully and economically—sometimes too sparingly—so as to make the burden upon the tax payer as light as possible. A candid consideration of the detailed expenditures in your department would make it evident that little except the bare necessary expenditure has been made, and I can point to but one place where any reduction could be made to result in any material saving, namely, in salaries of teachers. While such a reduction could be made, it would be almost criminal, from an economic and educational point of view. It would mean an entirely new and inferior teaching force, and, should any material reduction be made, the percentage saved would be altogether out of proportion to the decrease in efficiency which would be inevitable with the employment of inexperienced and untrained, and in many cases unsuccessful teachers available at a lower salary. In contrast to the present high standard of efficiency in the school room, and the high standard of culture and character of the teachers who care for your children, there would be inevitable slovenly work and inferior educational and social influences. Instead of the present general satisfaction and appreciation by pupils and parents, there would arise much dissatisfaction and discord. It is coming to be more and more realized that the public school teacher occupies an extremely important place in the social and civic life of a community.

The real teacher who is worthy of the name does far more than to teach the pupil the lesson from the book; she helps to mould character, and in many cases has to assume the larger part of the responsibility of making good citizens from those entrusted to her care. Realizing the pride which Fairhaven has always had in her public schools, and her generous support of what is best in education, I feel certain that anything less than the present quality or standard would not be acceptable or tolerated. By patient searching and careful investigation, it has been possible to keep the standard of our teaching corps upon a high level, where it can probably be maintained for some time, though with increasing difficulty, because hundreds of cities and towns all over New England are from necessity raising salaries. The salary list for teachers will necessarily be larger from year to year, not on account of increased rate, but on account of additional teachers necessary because of constantly increasing enrolment.

The burden of expense in the school department will increase less rapidly than would otherwise have been the case, now that such timely and extraordinary provision has been made for the high school pupils of the town. Little can be said, for words are not adequate, to express how much the new Fairhaven High School means, and will continue to mean, to succeeding generations in this community, which has already been blessed with many advantages. The school building with all its various departments and appointments speaks eloquently for itself. The results that are being accomplished through the efforts of an intelligent and devoted corps of teachers, will manifest themselves more powerfully in the years to come in the lives of the boys and girls who have been here influenced and moulded during their student days. Since authority was given to plan and organize a new high school for the town, a most important and interesting problem has demanded the wisest and most devoted attention of the school department. It may be safely said, I think, that never before has just such a problem presented itself, the failure or success of which meant everything.

When the customary foresight and wisdom of Fairhaven's most famous graduate made a new building possible, it became necessary to carefully and wisely consider the present and future educational needs of the town; to make sure that those needs and requirements were amply provided for in the arrangement and planning of building. It was necessary that the best institutions of New England and the country be studied, that the best thought of the practical school men be obtained, and from all the acquired data that the most desirable and profitable be selected and woven into one comprehensive plan, which should be peculiar to the needs of Fairhaven. Moreover, when the best appointed and most stimulating material surroundings had been provided by the skill of artist and artisan, when the wisdom of school men rich with thought and experience had been drawn upon in the planning of departments with their equipment and apparatus, and when the educational aims and policies of the various departments had been co-ordinated and correlated so as to provide the best possible opportunities for a well rounded education of our boys and girls, the next and most vital problem of all was the discovery and selection of a cultured and capable corps of instructors, who should, under the direction of a wise and tactful master, carry out the policies and aims thus determined.

The problem has been at once unique and replete with opportunities: a new building, new departments, new equipment, new courses of study, practically an entire new corp of teachers, with a majority of new pupils. The transformation of the conditions which had prevailed in the old building to the conditions of the present, has been so wonderful as to seem almost unreal. The accomplishments and experiences of a half year and the promise of what is bound to be accomplished after further systematizing and organizing, may well be a matter for congratulation and satisfaction. A glance at the accompanying table of enrollment shows that 36 pupils have been enrolled in the preparatory year, and 138 pupils in the four high school

classes. It is as pleasing as it is unusual that throughout the year there has been a larger number of boys than girls in attendance. It is also interesting to note that one of the troubles in most high schools has in our own case been reduced to a minimum: namely, the constant complaint that boys and girls too frequently leave the school, dropping by the wayside. The experience in Fairhaven has proven quite the contrary, for an unusually small percentage has withdrawn, while several pupils have returned to complete their courses or take advanced work.

With the new stimulus that has been furnished at this crowning point in the school system, there is evidenced all along the line a keener interest among the pupils, who will doubtless in increasing numbers avail themselves of the unusual advantages now offered. With the burden of high school support removed from the town, the excellence of the Fairhaven schools may be maintained with less difficulty. One means of making all school efforts more effective will be a more careful provision for improving and safeguarding the health of the public school children, first by suitable buildings and school room conditions, and second, by proper attention to the physical welfare and development of the pupils. The recent act of the legislature, extracts from which are appended to this report, provides that school committees shall appoint medical inspectors or school physicians, whose duties are clearly outlined; a policy which has already been voluntarily adopted by many towns and cities. A small appropriation for this purpose must necessarily be asked for. The saving by possible prevention of epidemic conditions might in one year more than repay the cost for several years. To those who are familiar with some of the conditions which prevail in the cases of altogether too many children and homes, afflicted with infectious or contagious diseases, this legislation will seem not only wise but necessary for the protection of the large majority of children who are compelled to attend public schools. Under the guidance of the

physical director, a beginning has been made toward a more intelligent and systematic supervision of the work in physical training among the pupils of the lower grades.

Perhaps the most serious matter which your board and the citizens will be obliged to consider immediately is the provision of further school accommodations. From all present indications it is almost certain that, in September, a temporary school room will need to be provided at Oxford and possibly at the centre of the town, while plans for permanent accommodations should at once be seriously considered.

Although the past year has been filled with many responsibilities and changes, calling for new policies and decisions, the cordial co-operation of your board, together with the faithful and effective labors of a trained corps of teachers, have made the results of the year most interesting and gratifying.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK MONROE MARSH.

Feb. 20, 1907.

An Act relative to the Appointment of School Physicians

CHAPTER 502, ACTS OF 1906.

SECTION 1. The school committee of every city and town in the Commonwealth shall appoint one or more school physicians, shall assign one to each public school within its city or town, and shall provide them with all proper facilities for the performance of their duties as prescribed in this act.

SECTION 3. The school committee shall cause to be referred to a school physician for examination and diagnosis every child returning to school without a certificate from the board of health after absence on account of illness or from some unknown cause; and every child in the schools under its jurisdiction who shows signs of ill health or of suffering from infectious or contagious disease, unless he is at once excluded from school by the teacher.

SECTION 4. The school committee shall cause notice of the disease or defects, if any, from which any child is found to be suffering to be sent to his parent or guardian. Whenever a child shows symptoms of small pox, scarlet fever, measles, chickenpox, tuberculosis, diphtheria or influenza, tonsillitis, whooping cough, mumps, scabies or trachoma, he shall be sent home immediately, or as soon as safe and proper conveyance can be found, and the board of health shall at once be notified.

SECTION 5. The school committee of every city and town shall cause every child in the public schools to be separately and carefully tested and examined at least once in every school year to ascertain whether he is suffering from defective sight or hearing or from any other disability or defect tending to prevent the full benefit of his school work, or requiring a modification of the school work in order to prevent injury to the child or to secure the best educational results. The tests of sight and hearing shall be made by the teachers. The committee shall cause notice of any defect or disability requiring treatment to be sent to the parent or guardian of the child, and shall require a physical record of each child to be kept in such form as the state board of education shall prescribe.

No School Signals

For the benefit of those who have difficulty in remembering the significance of the school signals, the following is submitted for reference :

The signal at 8.00 a. m. indicates no school for grades one to four, inclusive.

The signal at 8.15 a. m. indicates no school for all grades.

The signal at 12.30 noon indicates no school for grades one to four inclusive.

The signal at 12.45 noon indicates no school for all grades.

Schools are often in session when weather conditions make it unfit for some children to attend, in which case parents must make their own decisions. At such times the schools are available for those pupils who are able and wish to attend.

TABULATED STATEMENT — GRADES, TEACHERS, ATTENDANCE, ETC.
SCHOOL YEAR, SEPTEMBER, 1905 — JUNE, 1906.

SCHOOLS.	Grades.	TEACHERS.	Whole No. enrolled.	Average mem- bership.	Average attendance.	Per cent. attendance.	Total days' absence.	Cases of tardiness.	No. weeks in year.
High,	10—13	Albert B. Kimball.	89	86.21	81.61	95	770	248	40
"	"	Ruby L. Rich,							
"	"	Jessie M. Barbour.							
"	"	Margery C. Bruce,							
Rogers,	9	Sara B. Clarke,	41	35.33	33.05	94	419	3	39
"	8	Marjorie Baker,	43	40.71	38.85	95	339	6	39
"	7	T. M. Butterfield,	42	38.89	37.08	95	331	15	39
"	6	Maud B. Priest,	49	45.01	42.44	94	470	7	39
"	5	Helen E. Howe,	40	34.90	32.55	93	427	23	39
"	5	Harriet E. Mitchell,	39	37.26	34.84	93	439	7	39
"	4	M. Louise Norris,	39	33.12	31.50	95	282	4	39
"	4	Barbara R. Dow,	45	39.50	37.29	94	414	10	39
"	3	Florence B. Fitz,	43	37.75	35.45	94	421	14	39
"	3	Mary P. Story,	44	37.18	35.00	94	399	12	39

Rogers Annex,	2	Lucie A. Metcalf,	42	35.87	33.40	93	447	12	39
"	2	Clara E. Wellman,	42	34.26	32.35	94	346	16	39
"	1	Florence M. Moore,	50	34.52	31.75	92	444	13	39
"	1	Mary A. S. Sale,	41	36.60	33.54	91	512	11	39
Oxford,	5—6	Myra D. Crowell,	43	37.80	36.11	96	304	59	39
"	3—4	Inez J. Howes,	43	43.35	40.45	93	521	62	39
"	2—3	Ilda T. Pope,	55	39.00	35.95	92	550	40	39
"	1	Ethel Faulkner,	33	28.82	26.37	92	457	46	39
New Boston,	1—4	Grace S. Dixon,	22	19.04	17.38	91	303	29	39
Music,		Anna B. Trowbridge,							
Drawing,		Ethel R. Browne,							
Cooking,		Mary St. J. Willcox,							
Manual Training,		Alfred C. Cobb,							
		Totals 1906,	885	785.	728.	94	8,585	637	742
		Totals 1905,	860	740.	693.	94	8,734	682	742
		Totals 1904,	858	714.	653.	92	10,956	701	703
		Totals 1903,	813	682.	619.	90	11,068	949	664
		Totals 1902,	688	604.	541.	90	10,864	1169	

TABULATED STATEMENT — GRADES, TEACHERS, ATTENDANCE, ETC.
FALL TERM, SEPTEMBER 10, 1906 — DECEMBER 23, 1906.

SCHOOLS.	Grades.	TEACHERS.	Whole No. enrolled.	Average mem- bership.	Average attendance.	Per cent. attendance.	Total days' absence.	Cases of lardiness.	No. weeks in term.
High,	High	A. B. Kimball.	138	133.91	130.63	97.55	240	56	15
"	Preparatory	Nancy L. Lincoln.	36	32.79	32.27	98.41	38	10	15
Rogers,	8	Sara B. Clarke, <i>Prim.</i> ,	39	35.65	34.20	95.93	104	14	15
"	8	Marjorie Baker,	39	36.90	36.10	97.08	58	6	15
"	7	Tryphena Butterfield,	38	32.13	30.07	93.60	148	2	15
"	6—7	Katherine Fairbanks,	46	42.40	40.90	96.46	109	2	15
"	6	Maud B. Priest,	36	32.04	30.13	94.02	138	10	15
"	5	Marion M. Sylvester,	37	34.03	31.77	95.35	162	19	15
"	5	Barbara R. Dow,	45	42.31	39.40	93.12	207	0	15
"	4	M. Louise Norris,	44	42.47	39.98	94.15	179	4	15
"	4	Florence B. Fitz,	42	38.80	35.90	92.20	210	4	15
Rogers Annex,	3	Ethel L. Hodge,	41	38.49	36.72	95.40	137	0	15
"	3	Mary P. Story,	37	35.90	33.55	93.45	169	4	15
"	2	Clara E. Wellman.							

Rogers Annex.	2	Agnes F. Gillen,	42	34.29	32.24	94.02	148	5	15
"	1	Florence M. Moore.	41	35.54	32.92	92.62	204	2	15
"	1	Mary A. S. Sale,	40	34.84	32.10	92.13	195	0	15
Oxford.	5—6	Myra D. Crowell,	45	38.74	36.13	93.26	187	11	15
"	3—4	Charlotte J. Bruce,	45	45.05	42.10	93.45	211	26	15
"	2—3	Ilda T. Pope,	51	43.31	40.60	93.73	196	15	15
"	1	Ethel Faulkner,	53	44.98	39.57	87.92	391	7	15
New Boston.	1—4	Stella Caouette,	32	25.15	20.28	80.63	355	30	15
Music,		Anna B. Trowbridge,							
Drawing,		Ethel R. Browne,							
Cooking,		Mary St.J. Wilcox.							
Manual Education,		Will Whitney,							
		Totals 1906,	967	880.	828.	94	3,786	227	315
		Totals 1905,	821	781.	749.	96	2,293	208	320
		Totals 1904,	831	762.	721.	95	2,980	277	304
		Totals 1903,	810	747.	679.	92	4,018	337	
		Totals 1902,	761	706.	650.	92			

Highest per cent of attendance, Preparatory Class, 98.41.
Increase in Enrolment over 1903, 146
Increase in Average Membership over 1905, 99

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES—FALL TERM, 1906.

Building	Grades		Totals
High School	Post Graduates	9	
	Fourth Year	8	
	Third Year	30	
	Second Year	39	
	First Year	52	
	Preparatory Year	36	174
Rogers School	Eighth Grade	39	
	Seventh Grade	39	
	Sixth and Seventh Grades	38	
	Sixth Grade	46	
	Fifth Grade	36	
	Fifth Grade	37	
	Fourth Grade	45	
	Fourth Grade	44	324
Rogers Annex	Third Grade	42	
	Third Grade	41	
	Second Grade	37	
	Second Grade	42	
	First Grade	41	
	First Grade	40	243
Oxford School	Fifth and Sixth Grades	45	
	Third and Fourth Grades	45	
	Second and Third Grades	51	
	First Grade	53	194
New Boston	First—Fourth Grades	32	32
Total Fall term, 1906,			967
Total Fall term, 1905,			821
Total Fall term, 1901,			683
Increase in five years,			284

ROLL OF HONOR.

Pupils neither absent nor tardy for the year 1905-1906.

Lillian Ryder,
 Elizabeth Nourjian,
 Catherine Porter,
 Mark Sullivan,
 Byron Pardee,
 Eva Card,
 Edmund Johnson,
 Laura Beaulieu,
 Arnold Fitzsimmons,
 Lizzie Ellis,
 Ernest Johnson,
 William Davis,
 Everett Leonard,
 Herbert Barney,
 Forrest Sowle,
 Mary Sullivan,
 Vincent Leonard,
 Minnie Packwood,
 William Dodge,
 Dorothy Church,
 Charles Woodward,
 James Chapman,
 Ruth Gifford,
 Carlton A. Brown,
 Henry H. Crossman,
 Sarah I. Maker,
 Edna F. Shores,
 M. Alberta Dillingham,

Ivy Bullen,
 Madge Westgate,
 Doris M. Neagus,
 Harold Card,
 Agnes Nourjian,
 Frederick Dexter,
 Josephine Beaulieu,
 William McGowan,
 Clayton Westgate,
 Maurice Sheehan,
 David Devons,
 Blumers Delano,
 Marion Sherman,
 Harry Betagh,
 Howard Wilson,
 Mollie Lavare,
 Paul Swift,
 Edith Weeks,
 Harold Lincoln,
 Rena Tinkham.
 Amy Lincoln,
 Roy Newton,
 Henry A. Howard,
 Benjamin M. Bates,
 Stanley Kendrick,
 Bessie A. Betagh,
 Edith Palmer,
 Mabel M. Chapman.

PRESENT CORPS OF TEACHERS.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Albert B. Kimball, Prin.,	Science,	Worcester Polytechnic Institute.
Arthur W. Belcher,	Mathematics,	Harvard University.
Will Whitney,	Manual Education,	Columbia University Truro Normal.
Fred. C. Hill,	Physical Education.	International Y. M. C. A. Training School.
Mary C. Bates,	English,	Syracuse University.
Grace M. Grant,	Stenography and Typewriting.	Chandler Shorthand School—R. I. State Normal.
Ruby L. Rich,	Latin,	Smith College.
Elinor T. George,	German and French,	Boston University.
Nancy L. Lincoln,	History,	Smith College.
Louisa M. Norton,	French and English,	Radcliffe.
Mary St. J. Willcox,	Domestic Science,	Framingham Domes- tic Science.
Ethel R. Browne,	Drawing and Domestic Art.	Museum of Fine Arts Harvard Summer School.
Anna B. Trowbridge,	Music.	N. E. Conservatory Silver Burdett School

ROGERS SCHOOL.

Sara B. Clarke, Prin.,	Grade VIII,	Bridgewater Normal.
Marjorie I. Baker,	" VIII,	Framingham Normal.
Tryphena M. Butterfield,	" VII,	Plymouth Normal.
Katherine L. Fairbanks,	" VI,	Westfield Normal.
Maud B. Priest,	" VI,	Fitchburg Normal.
Barbara R. Dow,	" V,	Bridgewater Normal, Wellesley College.
Marion M. Sylvester,	" V,	Framingham Normal.
Florence B. Fitz,	" IV,	Salem Normal.
Mattie L. Norris,	" IV,	Fairhaven High School.

ANNEX.

Mary P. Story,	Grade III,	Salem Normal.
Ethel L. Hodge,	" III,	Bridgewater Normal.
Agnes F. Gillen,	" II,	Bridgewater Normal.
Edith H. Fây,	" II,	Framingham Normal.
Mary A. S. Sale,	" I,	Framingham Normal.
Florence M. Moore,	" I,	Salem Normal.

OXFORD.

Myra D. Crowell, Prin.,	Grades V and VI,	Bridgewater Normal.
Charlotte J. Bruce,	" III and IV,	Newburyport Training.
Ilda T. Pope,	" II and III,	Bridgewater Normal.
Ethel Faulkner,	" I,	Framingham Normal.

NEW BOSTON.

Stella Caouette,	Grades I—IV,	Westfield Normal.
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SUPERVISORS.

Will Whitney,	Manual Education.
Fred C. Hill,	Physical Education.
Anna B. Trowbridge,	Music.
Ethel R. Browne,	Drawing and Sewing.

Graduating Exercises, Class of 1906, Fairhaven High School.

TOWN HALL, FAIRHAVEN, MASS., WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 1906.
AT 2.30 P. M.

Motto: Essæ quam Videri.

Colors: Gold and White.

PROGRAMME.

- Prayer. Rev. F. B. Lyman.
- Chorus—The Forge. Watson, arr.
- Salutatory with Essay—The Primeval American. Mildred Eleanor Gray.
- Essay with Valedictory—The Early English Drama. Edith Congdon Kendrick.
- Semi-Chorus—Summer Days. Abt.
- Address. Charles S. Chapin. Principal of Rhode Island Normal School.
- Chorus—Out On the Deep. Lohr.
- Announcement of Winners of Prize Essays.
- Reading of First Prize Essay.
- Award of Diplomas. Thomas A. Tripp, Chairman of School Committee.
- Chorus—The Lord is Great. Mendelssohn.

GRADUATES.

CLASSICAL COURSE.

William Alfred Blackburn. Edith Congdon Kendrick. Mildred Eleanor Gray. Charles Lorenzo Lester. Elbert Harrison Shurtleff.

GENERAL COURSE.

Eldred Edward Besse. J. Wilder Tasker. Ralph Emery Lombard. Sarah Isabel Maker.

COMMERCIAL COURSE.

Edith May Baudoin. Temple Arnold Corson. George Walter Maker. Inez Edith Neagus. Charles Nelson Smith. Mary Isabelle Cash. Stanley Kendrick. Kathleen March. Louise Foster Perry. Alice May Watterson. Frederick Arthur Watson.

RECENT GRADUATES.

CLASS OF 1902.

Alice Lilley,	Teacher, New Bedford
Alice E. Marra (Mrs. Antone Freitas)	Married, Fairhaven
Samuel F. Bumpus,	Clark College, Worcester
Edwin A. Kelley,	Westinghouse Elec. Co., New York City
Frederick K. Lawrence.	Draftsman, New York City
Mae Delano,	Bookkeeper, New Bedford
Bessie L. Ellis,	Teacher Domestic Science, Montreal, P. Q
Susan A. Babbitt,	Swain Free School of Design, New Bedford
Alberta F. Kempton (Mrs. Charles C. Page)	Married, New Bedford
Charles Lilley,	Printer, "Standard," New Bedford
Bertha T. Pardee,	Cashier, New Bedford
Vance A. Warner,	Bookkeeper, Boston

CLASS OF 1903.

Lillie B. Allen,	Normal School, Bridgewater
Lizzie Alma Blackburn,	Brown University, '07
Gladys B. Goodnow,	Teacher, Northboro
Ida M. Grimshaw,	Brown University, '07
Clara M. Howland,	Companion, Boston
Mary Corey Tabor,	At home, Fairhaven
Helen L. Thrasher,	Boston University
Everett R. Cowen,	Mass. Inst. Technology, Boston
Grace P. Dillingham,	Cashier, New Bedford
Wallace G. Hathaway,	Postoffice, New Bedford
James H. C. Marston,	Musician, Fairhaven
Bessie L. Pardee (Mrs. John Seaman)	Married, New Bedford
Winifred S. Baker,	Bookkeeper, Fairhaven
George F. Braley,	Bookkeeper, New Bedford
Clayton W. Carpenter,	Machinist, New York
Hubert R. Ede,	Brown University, '09

Adelaide M. Howard,	Bookkeeper, Fairhaven
Florence W. Nickerson,	Music Teacher, Brockton
Grace E. Slocum,	Stenographer, New Bedford

CLASS OF 1904.

Gertrude M. Ellis,	Brown University, '08
Ella F. Sherman,	Bridgewater Normal
Grace M. Tripp,	Kindergarten Training School, Boston
Grace E. Ball (Mrs. E. R. Cartwright)	Married, Pawtucket, R. I
Bertha Crafts,	Stenographer, Somerville
Louvisa H. Hawkins,	Teacher, Little Compton, R. I
Helen L. Lawrence,	Teacher, Granby
Lotta C. Wanner,	Bookkeeper, New Bedford
Emily Bearse Austin,	Tack Factory, Fairhaven
Grace I. Babbitt,	Stenographer, New Bedford

CLASS OF 1905.

Anne H. Kempton,	Bookkeeper and Stenographer, Fairhaven
Charles T. Lincoln,	Bookkeeper, New Bedford
Claudia C. Willis,	Stenographer, Providence
Elsie M. Westgate,	At home, Fairhaven
Dorothy A. Stoddard,	High School, P. G., Fairhaven
Henry T. Howard,	Bookkeeper, New Bedford
Anne H. Gillingham,	Assistant Domestic Science Dept., Fairhaven
Ernest W. Dean,	Clark College, Worcester
Ethel I. Chandler,	Bookkeeper Telephone Co., New Bedford
Bessie M. Brown,	Stenographer, Winchendon

CLASS OF 1906.

William A. Blackburn,	Brown University, '10
Edith C. Kendrick,	Normal School, Framingham
Mildred E. Gray,	High School, P. G., Fairhaven
Charles L. Lester,	Oklahoma
Elbert H. Shurtleff,	High School, P. G., Fairhaven
Eldred E. Besse,	Mass. Inst. Technology, Boston

J. Wilder Tasker,	Dean Academy, Franklin
Ralph E. Lumbard,	At home, Fairhaven
Sarah I. Maker,	Stenographer, School Department, Fairhaven
Edith M. Baudoin,	Cashier, Star Store, New Bedford
Temple A. Corson,	Lawton's Drug Store, New Bedford
George W. Maker,	Stenographer, Aberthaw Construction Co., Boston
Inez E. Neagus.	Stenographer and Bookkeeper, New Bedford
Charles N. Smith,	Union Street Railway Co., New Bedford
Mary I. Cash,	At home, Fairhaven
Stanley Kendrick,	High School, P. G., Fairhaven
Kathleen March,	Clerk, Pairpoint Corporation, New Bedford
Louise F. Perry,	Stenographer, Int. Cor. Sch., New Bedford
Alice M. Watterson,	Bookkeeper, Taunton
Frederick A. Watson,	Stenographer, Boston

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION PRIZES.

Winners 1906.

MARGARET M. NOLAND.

First prize, \$10.00. Subject: Fairhaven in 1920

MILDRED E. GRAY.

Second prize, \$5.00. Subject: The Unseen Life of the Earth

FLORA LYONS.

Third prize, \$5.00. Subject: The Legend of a Four-Leaf Clover

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

1907

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

*Dr.**Cr.*

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Receipts :		Expenditures :	
Balance, 1906,	\$280 63	Teaching and supervision,	\$13,309 14
Appropriation, 1906,	16,750 00	Janitors,	1,569 50
State, a/c Supt.,	750 00	Transportation,	1,300 50
Acushnet, H. S. Tuition,	300 00	Fuel,	641 62
J. B. Tasker,		Books,	504 91
H. S. Tuition,	50 00	Supplies,	505 47
C. F. Ames,		Repairs,	503 25
H. S. Tuition,	50 00	Miscellaneous,	659 87
B. H. Kirby,		Special alterations	505 99
H. S. Tuition,	20 00	(annex),	
C. F. Delano, cases,			
fittings, etc.,	188 00		
County dog fund,	573 70		
	\$18,962 33		
Overdraft, Feb., 1907,	537 92		
	\$19,500 25		\$19,500 25

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

1907

PEASE FUND

*Dr.**Cr.*

Receipts :		Expenditures :	
Balance, Feb. 6, 1906,	\$ 59 32	Pairpoint Corporation,	\$15 20
Dividends from Trustees,	305 34	E. E. Babb & Co.,	91 08
		Thompson, Brown & Co.,	19 20
		Little, Brown & Co.,	12 00
		Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	27 63
		Brown Durrell Co.,	7 73
		J. L. Hammett Co.,	13 14
		Ginn & Co.,	21 04
		Home Educator Co.,	2 50
			\$209 52
		Balance, Feb. 7, 1907,	155 14
			\$364 66
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TEACHERS' PAY ROLLS.

Feb. 24,	\$1,206.00
March 30,	1,525.75
May 4,	1,206.75
June 1,	1,222.00
June 29,	1,278.25
Sept. 30,	1,137.00
Nov. 2,	1,233.00
Nov. 30,	1,219.50
Dec. 31,	921.64
Jan. 30,	1,209.25
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	\$12,159.14

JANITORS' PAY ROLLS.

Feb. 28,	\$139.00
March 31,	151.50
April 30,	139.00
May 31,	139.00
June 30,	139.00
July 31,	135.00
August 31,	115.00
Sept. 30,	119.00
Oct. 31,	127.00
Nov. 30,	119.00
Dec. 31,	119.00
Jan. 31.	128.00
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	\$1,569.50

TRANSPORTATION.

Union St. Railway Co.,	\$640.50
George L. Hiller,	660.00
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	\$1,300.50

FUEL.

George P. Randall,	\$27.62
Michael Regan,	11.50
J. C. Tripp,	362.36
City Coal Co.,	227.67
G. F. Howard,	12.47
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	\$641.62

BOOKS.

Ginn & Co.,	\$83.78
Houghton, Mifflin Co.,	41.70
E. E. Babb & Co.,	191.14
H. S. Hutchinson & Co.,	1.15
Charles Scribner's Sons,	14.40
D. C. Heath & Co.,	22.26
Thompson, Brown & Co.,	33.60
Rand, McNally & Co.,	12.00
Hinds & Noble,	2.60
Silver, Burdett & Co.,	2.41
Oliver Ditson Co.,	23.39
Benjamin H. Sanborn Co.,	30.00
Little, Brown & Co.,	46.48
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	\$504.91

SUPPLIES.

J. L. Hammett Co.,	\$334.37
E. E. Babb & Co.,	5.84
George A. Blake & Co.,	3.53
C. F. Cushing,	3.55
Eagle Pencil Co.,	59.55
Bliss & Nye,	7.75
C. F. Wing,	.40
Atkinson, Mentzer & Grover,	12.36
Alfred Nye,	8.40
Warren P. Tobey,	1.67
C. S. & B. Cummings,	5.50
F. S. Brightman Co.,	12.17
James B. Goddard,	1.70
Briggs & Beckman,	2.15
Olcott Mfg. Co.,	1.80
S. B. & S. H. Willcox,	12.79
Ruggles & Ellison,	7.58
George T. Johnson & Co.,	22.00
New Bedford Dry Goods Co.,	2.36
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	\$505.47

MISCELLANEOUS.

Suffolk Engraving Co.,	\$24.40
H. D. Waldron,	35.32
Hatch & Co.,	13.50
Mrs. R. A. Spooner,	7.50
D. A. Regan,	4.84
Manuel d'Amaral,	39.44
J. B. Alton,	1.40
E. Anthony & Sons,	1.50
Thomas Hersom & Co.,	12.50
Fred A. Hanna,	5.55
A. J. Shooks,	20.55
C. J. Becker,	11.65
H. E. Harrington,	.45
A. B. Kimball,	10.42
S. B. Knight,	1.50
Samuel E. Fiske,	17.50
Charles S. Chapin,	28.41
Western Union Telegraph Co.,	2.56
E. R. Browne,	6.00
Fairhaven Water Co.,	113.86
Louis Nickerson,	1.45
E. G. Spooner,	25.59
S. I. Maker,	81.00
A. B. Trowbridge,	10.50
L. F. Perry,	1.15
J. W. Westgate,	1.50
Southern Mass. Telephone Co.,	15.55
James McFarlin,	4.00
Bliss & Nye,	.55
Charles P. Emerson,	2.00
New Bedford Gas & Edison Light Co.,	20.40
Sulpho-Naphthol Co.,	4.00
Mrs. J. Bumpus,	5.00
Phaneuf & Son,	2.85
Charles F. Wing,	1.57
American Seating Co.,	15.00
Briggs & Beckman,	6.62
DeWolf & Vincent,	3.75
Mrs. A. L. Mackie,	25.00
Parson's Steam Laundry Co.,	.39

F. M. Marsh,	43.72
W. F. Church,	5.71
F. S. Brightman Co.,	14.00
A. R. Washburn,	7.63
H. F. Wilde,	2.39
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	\$659.87

REPAIRS.

G. R. Valentine,	\$8.45
E. F. Penney,	42.75
C. F. Delano,	144.02
H. H. Hathaway,	61.63
Hatch & Co.,	2.75
Patrick Sullivan,	4.25
W. P. Briggs,	.60
William L. Kelley,	2.50
Town of Acushnet,	10.00
C. E. Lumbard,	7.30
DeWolf & Vincent,	2.05
New Bedford Foundry & Machine Co.,	41.20
E. V. Hazzard,	41.25
M. P. Whitfield,	121.24
Bliss & Upjohn,	12.00
C. F. Wing,	1.26
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	\$503.25

SPECIAL ALTERATIONS (*Annex*).

C. F. Delano,	\$103.18
Dodge & Grant,	16.03
H. H. Hathaway,	61.50
American Seating Co.,	180.00
M. P. Whitfield,	127.58
E. G. Spooner, Jr.,	17.70
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	\$505.99

